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Index Down By 7-10ths

OTTAWA, March 4 (CP) —The cost-of-living index Feb. 1 declined seven-tenths of a point to 190.8 from the peak of 191.5—the second drop in three months—the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

The previous drop before that was on Jan. 2, 1950, when the index declined a half-point to 161.0 from 161.5. The index is based on 1935-39 prices equalling 100.

Lower prices for food, clothing and home furnishings pushed the index down on Feb. 1, the bureau said.

Lower prices for eggs, beef, pork and lard, overbalancing higher prices for butter, cheese and fresh fruits and vegetables, dropped the food sub-index by 1.9 points from its near-record 250.0 to 248. Prices for butter, cheese and fresh fruits and vegetables, dropped the food sub-index by 1.9 points from its near-record 250.0 to 248.1.

In the clothing sub-index, the bureau reported lower prices for men's woollen apparel and women's nylon hosiery, with the sub-index dropping 2.3 points to 213.0 from a near-record 215.3.

A drop in prices for furniture, wool blankets and soap outweighed increases for laundry and telephone services and pushed the home furnishings and services sub-index down by 1.0 point to 200.1 from a peak of 201.1.

Truman Calls On Russians To Seek Peace

WASHINGTON, March 4 (AP). —In a dramatic peace broadcast, President Truman today appealed to the people of Russia and Communist China to force their rulers to drop "their senseless policy of hate and terror."

Truman spoke from the flight deck of the Voice of America's powerful new floating transmitter, the United States coast guard cutter Courier, berthed at a city pier.

He addressed his words especially to the people of China and Russia, reminding them how the U.S. came to their aid in the Second World War.

"We helped them to save their countries," Truman said. "I want to say to these people today, as we said then: we are your friends. There are no differences between us that can not be settled if your rulers will turn from their senseless policy of hate and terror, and follow the principles of peace."

Relay stations at Tangier, Munich, Ceylon, Manila, Honolulu and facilities of the BBC beamed the message to listeners in all parts of the world.

MONTREAL QUOTES U.S. DOLLAR AT DISCOUNT

MONTREAL, March 4 (CP).—For the first time since before the Second World War the United States dollar was quoted at a discount in Montreal foreign exchange dealings. The Bank of Canada reported the U.S. dollar at noon at a discount of 1/32 of 1 per cent, down 1/32 from Monday noon.

This means that one Canadian dollar is worth $1.00 1/32 in American funds. The two currencies had been trading previously at par.

Provincial Ban Eased Slightly

B.C. Will Accept Alberta Chicks; Cabinet Considers Other Moves

Agriculture Minister Harry Bowman said today British Columbia's livestock embargo has been eased.

Baby chicks will be allowed to come into the province from Alberta and other easements are being considered.

Investigations are continuing to determine the advisability of such a move, the minister said after a Cabinet meeting.

The flow of baby chicks into B.C. from Alberta has been stopped ever since the embargo started last week. It is considered a fairly important industry to Alberta.

Bowman explained that the chicks will be allowed entry after inspection by veterinary officers. Edmonton and Calgary ship large quantities of chicks into northern and eastern B.C. It is felt there is no danger involved because the chicks are fumigated when hatched.

STUDY SMOKED MEATS

Bowman said his department is still investigating the advisability of allowing smoked meat imports. It was hoped recently that smoked meats could be allowed into the province, but since then it has been learned that such meats may carry the foot-and-mouth disease in the marrow of the bone.

The minister said he did not know how long existing B.C. meat supplies would last. He has had estimates ranging from 10 days to three weeks.

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Meanwhile the advisory board of the Farmers' Institute, in a three-day session here, went on record as supporting provincial agricultural department in its policy of banning all livestock and meat shipments.

The board passed a resolution endorsing the "prompt action taken by the agricultural department to safeguard this province's livestock against the ravages of the dread foot-and-mouth disease."

Dr. Wallace Gunn, livestock commissioner, explained to the board the disease may remain dormant throughout the winter "forming a further case for care in livestock movement."

He said B.C. cattlemen are not taking advantage of the situation to boost prices.

Willi Waits As Cattle Virus Hunted

OTTAWA, March 4 (BUP) —German farmhand Willi Bruntjen leafed idly through picture books today without knowing he had caused a change in the nation's immigration policies and a slowdown in the movement of foreign labor to Canadian farms.

Bruntjen was killing time awaiting the results of tests that will show whether he brought foot and mouth disease to Canada. He arrived in this country last October and could speak little English.

Mounted Police companions of the husky, 27-year-old said he was "going through magazines and looking at the pictures because he can't read much English. He's pretty lonesome."

Bruntjen was suspected by agriculture department officials of bringing foot and mouth virus in his clothing from Germany to Saskatchewan, where more than 1,000 head of livestock is being slaughtered to wipe out the disease.

Immigration Minister Walter Harris said in Parliament Monday night that "It would seem quite unlikely that this disease might have been transmitted in the manner that has been suggested." But he announced extra precautions to make sure that future immigrants do not bring the virus to Canada.

WILL SLOW MOVEMENT

Effective Monday, Harris said, "no immigrant farmers or farm workers will be recruited or selected abroad if they are from an area where foot and mouth disease is prevalent."

Harris' announcement stemmed from the fact that Bruntjen had readily admitted to Canadian authorities that he had worked among herds of German livestock affected with the disease.

"Second," Harris said, "no immigrant farmers or farm workers already selected, who may now be coming from an infected area abroad will be placed in employment on farms until they and their effects have been thoroughly disinfected."

Harris said his two orders would slow the movement to Canada of foreign farm workers. But he added that he was "quite sure that the inconvenience will be accepted in view of the fact that we should be particularly careful until all other possible causes have been investigated."

Manitoba Livestock Ban Hits Winnipeg Packers

Packing Plant Employees Face Unemployment As Province Wars Against Foot-Mouth Plague

WINIPEG, March 4 (CP)—About one-third of the workers in Greater Winnipeg's three big packing plants will be laid off within the next few days as a result of Manitoba's embargo against livestock shipments from western Canada.

The embargo was announced Monday night by the Manitoba government in a move to protect Manitoba stock from possible foot-and-mouth infection and to forestall overloading of the Manitoba market.

Layoff notices were handed today to between 110 and 120 employees at Canada Packers and to about 100 at Swift Canadian. Officials of Burns and Company did not reveal the number to be laid off but said the notices were given today.

Meanwhile an embargo on shipment of livestock, sheep, swine and carcasses from western Canada to Manitoba has been ordered by the Manitoba government in a move to shield cattle from possible spread of foot-and-mouth disease and protect producers from an overloaded market. Cooked and canned meats are not affected.

The ban was announced in the Legislature by Agriculture Minister F. C. Bell. It followed cabinet consideration of the latest federal moves in the campaign to stamp out foot-and-mouth disease in Saskatchewan.

ADD TO DANGER

Bell said the Manitoba government had asked for a federal ban on Saskatchewan livestock last week, but Agriculture Minister Gardiner had replied it was unnecessary.

Bell said Quebec and British Columbia had imposed their own embargoes. The Livestock trade had closed Edmonton public markets to Saskatchewan livestock.

"This would throw more Saskatchewan cattle this way," Bell said. "It would add to the danger of our getting foot-and-mouth disease in this province.

He said he did not consider the 50-mile buffer zone around the Saskatchewan quarantine area ample protection. (The federal government ordered the buffer zone. Animals from that area will be slaughtered at the nearest available packing plant. They cannot be sent out of the area for feeding.)

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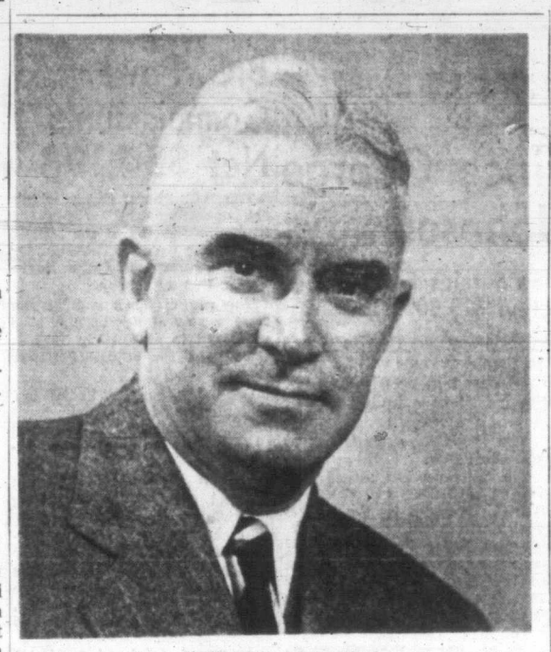
Record B.C. Budget But No Tax Changes



PREMIER JOHNSON
. . . His first budget.

THE BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Province to spend $185,755,433, a record high and $28,000,000 more than last year.

Ordinary department expenses up $17,000,000 at $135,305,433.

Works and other capital outlays to total $50,450,000.

No changes in taxation.

Government to pay full hospital insurance deficit out of consolidated revenue, and contribute more money for hospital care of welfare cases.

No alteration in hospital insurance premiums.

School building program carries on with $10,000,000 allocation.

Full highway program goes ahead with $3,000,000 for Vancouver - Squamish Highway, $2,000,000 for northern trans - provincial and $2,000,000 for secondary roads throughout province, plus $13,200,000 for trans-Canada and other highways.

Revenues rolling in to treasury at record rate.

Gross debt reaches record high of $269,040,963, up $40,401,976.

Sinking funds total $47,258,897 and have theoretical surplus.

Net debt stands at $191,091,839, up $19,879,849.

Per capita net debt $164, compared to $177 in 1941.

$45,000,000 Allocated For New Public Works

By GORDON FORBES, Times Legislative Reporter

B.C.'s government proposes to spend a record $185,755,433 in the coming fiscal year.

The budget total was disclosed by Premier Johnson in the Legislature this afternoon.

It includes $135,405,433 in ordinary expenditures and $45,350,000 on various public works and capital projects, and $5,000,000 allocated on a special debt repayment.

The total is $27,986,433 greater than for the year 1951-52.

The huge increase will be handled without changes in taxation rates, and the budget is balanced with a slight theoretical surplus.

The only major change in the government's financial policy is that it will now pay the full deficit in the hospital insurance fund, instead of limiting its contribution, as last year, and will pay the full cost of hospital care for all welfare cases instead of paying just insurance premiums for them.

This means an increase of approximately $3,600,000 in the government's contribution to the hospital insurance scheme.

Steadily expanding costs of government in all directions account for most of the general budget increases.

Here are the main public works allocations:

$2,000,000 for a new program of secondary road construction.

$3,000,000 for building the Vancouver-Squamish Highway.

$2,000,000 for the Northern Trans-provincial Highway.

$10,000,000 for the government's 50 per cent share of new school construction.

$13,200,000 for the general highway improvement program, including continuation of the Trans-Canada Highway rebuilding.

$9,850,000 for various buildings, including a new jail, sanitariums and other institutions not specified.

$2,500,000 for completion of the P.G.E. railway extension from Quesnel to Prince George, now nearly finished.

$900,000 to carry on a flood control scheme in the south Okanagan.

$750,000 toward a pathology building in Vancouver.

$300,000 for buildings at U.B.C.

$850,000 for forest development and mining roads.

Must Borrow $28,350,000

Part of the money to pay for this large capital works program, $28,350,000, will be borrowed by the government. The balance of $22,000,000 will be financed out of the general revenues, $15,500,000 from surpluses that have accumulated in the last few years and $6,500,000 out of huge revenues that are predicted for the coming year.

The Premier's address showed that the high level of economic activity in B.C. is still rolling revenues into the provincial treasury at a record rate.

He estimates an all-time high current income of nearly $142,000,000 for the coming year, partly due to higher payments under the Ottawa tax agreement, and the balance from a general increase in all tax receipts resulting from higher population and the inflated money rates.

The mammoth budget was the first presented by Premier Johnson in his new role of minister of finance.

In explaining the change in government on the hospital insurance plan, the premier said the deficit on the scheme in the coming fiscal year is estimated at $4,686,990.

Here briefly is the budget comparison for the last two years:

	1951-52	1952-53
Current revenue estimate	$118,502,889	$141,986,869
Expenditures		
Ordinary	$118,269,000	$135,405,433
Capital—		
Out of revenue	----------	$ 6,500,000
From revenue surplus	$ 3,100,000	$ 15,500,000
From borrowings	$ 36,500,000	$ 28,350,000
Totals	$157,869,000	$185,755,233

Premier Johnson noted that expenditures for 1951-52 have already far exceeded estimates and will probably total $127,000,000.

Deficit Was Predicted

Last year the government allocated $2,500,000 for the deficit —as high as it would go. The plan, fortunately, stayed within the deficit mainly due to co-insurance. In the coming year, the government has estimated to meet the full deficit and has placed no "ceiling" on the amount it will pay. Higher wages in hospitals and other increased costs will raise the deficit.

Another change in policy will see the government pay the entire cost of hospitalization for persons in receipt of welfare allowances. Previously, the government just paid hospital insurance premiums.

This new policy will cost the government $1,546,000, which together with the premium payments for those on welfare allowance, is expected to be enough to cover the entire cost of hospitalization of such cases.

The government also contributes $1,500,000 out of consolidated revenue to cover the cost of the provincial share of the per diem grants to hospitals. This amounts to 70 cents per patient per day. Municipalities pay the same amount.

Premium payments for welfare cases will cost $1,769,200, which will add up to a government contribution to B.C.H.S. of $9,502,590, but only $3,733,390 in new charges as a result of policy changes.

$38,205,000 For Highways

A total of $38,205,000 will be spent on highways during the coming year, the Premier's statement showed. In addition to the $20,200,000 in new projects maintenance will cost $14,080,000 and hard surfacing $4,125,000.

The major increases in revenue predicted by the Premier were: From federal-provincial tax agreement, $10,064,880; gasoline tax, $1,800,000; land taxes, $745,100; social security and municipal aid tax, $5,500,000; land revenue, $900,000; timber sales and royalties, $2,200,000; liquor profits, $800,000; game fees and licences, $250,000; motor vehicle revenue, $350,000, and amusement tax, $250,000.

Original requests for money by the various departments of the government were "many million dollars more" than the amounts shown in the estimates. Requested appropriations were cut by the Treasury Board and the Cabinet, the Premier said.

Largest increase was recorded in the health and welfare department where the budget is $3,347,863 greater than last year.

During 1950-51 the government collected revenues, on current account, amounting to $124,029,568 —$18,198,378 more than anticipated.

During the same period the government spent $116,079,471—$10,520,953 more than the main estimates anticipated.

This left a $7,978,790 surplus.

In the first nine months of the current fiscal year, the comptroller-general reported that $92,341,539 was collected—$10,727,402 greater than the corresponding period last year. Expenditures were shown at $78,705,768 —$5,963,266 greater.

The balance sheet showed that B.C.'s assets exceeded liabilities by $107,086,864. The assets totalled $491,263,011 and the liabilities $384,176,146.

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PINAY IN DIFFICULTIES FORMING FRENCH GOVT.

PARIS, March 4 (CP).—Antoine Pinay, 60-year-old moderate Conservative, met for 45 minutes today with President Vincent Auriol, then told newspaper men he had postponed his decision on whether to form a new French government.

Pinay, minister of transport in the outgoing government of Edgar Faure, yesterday accepted President Vincent Auriol's invitation to make an attempt at forming a government.

He met leaders of the various French parliamentary groups today.

BRAZIL RAIL CRASH KILLS OVER HUNDRED

200 Others Injured In Worst Train Mishap In Country's History; 'Like Battlefield'

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 4 (CP)—More than 100 persons were killed in a train collision near here today. About 200 suffered injuries. The wreck was the worst in Brazil's history.

A train crowded with commuters coming into Rio De Janeiro crashed into a stalled passenger train near the suburb of Anchieta, about 19 miles southwest of the capital.

Bodies were strewn about the wreckage and some were seen floating in the nearby Pavuna River.

"It looked like a battlefield," a survivor, a former soldier said.

Two cars on the passenger train were derailed at Anchieta. The commuter train which hit it was en route from another suburb and traveling at a high speed.

Police, fire brigades and troops were called out to help take the victims to hospital.

Rescue workers hacked their way through twisted coaches to bring out the injured. Fifteen were reported in serious condition.

The crash is believed to be the worst ever in Brazil, which has had several train disasters over the past year.

Last December 53 died in a derailment near Fortaleza, Para. In June 1951, 51 died in a packed train which became a raging inferno after hitting a gasoline truck at a level crossing.

Meanwhile, a radio reporter broadcasting from the scene said 75 dead had been counted, with the injured estimated at 200. He said there were not enough ambulances to carry the dead away.

Vancouver Challenges L.R.B. Decision In Courts

VANCOUVER, March 4 (CP)—Vancouver city council will ask the British Columbia Supreme Court to set aside a Labor Relations Board ruling ordering it to join a conciliation board over a contract dispute with 1,200 outside workers.

Aldermen are expected to give formal approval to the court fight today and corporation counsel Russel Baker will be instructed to take legal action.

Friday, the labor board gave the city five days to choose its nominee. The board had previously "recommended" the city reenter collective bargaining with Civic Employees' Union, outside workers.

The city contends the union's 1951 contract is in effect until the end of the year because the union failed to signify within stipulated limits of its intention to re-open wage clauses.

The union, recently expelled from the Trades and Labor Congress for Communist domination, contends that because it sought and won recertification under a new name, the time limit is not operative.

The union is asking an increase of 35 cents from the present hourly basic of $1.24. The city will offer a 13 per cent boost—

Attlee Comes Through Party Row Safely

LONDON, March 4 (AP)—Clement Attlee successfully weathered an all-out attack by Labor Party left wingers today against his leadership on the issue of Britain's defense policy.

Attlee's victory, at a closed caucus of the 295 Labor members of the House of Commons, was reliably reported to have been by a voting margin of about three to one.

It was the first time the long standing leadership challenge of Aneurin Bevan and his leftist forces had come to a showdown vote at a meeting of party members who hold seats in Commons.

Cattle Plague In Britain Under Control

LONDON, March 4 (Reuters). A serious British epidemic of foot-and-mouth disease now is almost over, the Ministery of Agriculture said today.

At present there are only two small outbreaks in isolated places —near Hull, Yorkshire, and Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire. A ministry spokesman said the outbreak was controlled by the only sure method killing affected cattle and keeping suspected herds isolated.

Since last Nov. 14 more than 5,790 cattle, sheep and pigs have been slaughtered and the government has paid compensation to farmers totaling £378,400.

Official figures for the whole of 1951 show 116 outbreaks of the scourge led to the slaughtering of 13,409 cattle, sheep and pigs.

First outbreaks in November were reported from Winestead Hill, Yorkshire, and Saint Osyth, Essex. Within 48 hours other outbreaks were confirmed near Scarborough, Hull, Norwich, Lowestoft and Colchester.

All these places are on or near Britain's east coast and this backed up the theory of agricultural experts that outbreaks in Britain are caused by the flight of birds, especially starlings, from Europe at the beginning of cold weather.

3 Gunmen Loot Toronto Bank Of $15,000

TORONTO, March 4 (CP)—Three gunmen held up a branch of the Bank of Montreal at noon today. Police said they escaped with between $10,000 and $15,000.

The bank is at the corner of College Street and Manning Avenue in mid-town Toronto.

Everybody's wonderin' who stopped th' City Hall clock at quarter past four. Was it Claude, or Waldo? Or did somebody drop th' tea tray?

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Price index is down a shade fer January, but I don't feel any richer yet.

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Funny. All them millions Boss talks about just leave me blank. But 10 cents fer a chock-lit bar sets me ravin'.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY WON'T CLOSE B.C. BUSINESS

The federal government has proclaimed the Queen's Birthday a statutory holiday in Canada.

The B.C. Interpretation Act would make the day a statutory holiday in B.C., but it would not be necessary for businesses to close unless the holiday is proclaimed under the Factories Act and Shops' Regulation and Weekly Holiday Acts.

The King's birthday, June 5, was not declared a holiday under these acts, and stores and industries were not required to close.

The question of a school holiday has not been decided.

ONE WOMAN'S DAY

By NANCY HODGES

SIGNS OF SPRING

ACCORDING to the calendar, spring does not come in officially for some weeks, but that hasn't prevented my noting very definite signs that the hounds of spring are on winter's traces and tugging pretty hard at the leash.

Among my more domesticated woman friends there is that noticeable gleam in the eye that bespeaks thoughts of spring-cleaning—as it has every spring since the wife looked around the family cave and asked her pre-historic husband: "Don't you think that rock would look better over here?"

YEARN FOR HATS

OTHER FEMININE friends are more likely to be caught eyeing the newest models in the milliners' windows, or toying with thoughts of a new spring outfit, egged on by the fashion arbiters who always, at this time of the year, announce that last year's outfit is too "demode" for any self-respecting female to wear again.

As for me, I know that spring is just peeping around the corner because I have my first "cowd id the head"—with all the snuffing and sneezing that such a state connotes.

BIRDS GET BUSY

EVEN THE BIRDS appear to be feeling the approach of spring in their bones—or wherever it is that birds feel the seasons. Robins have been making such a to-do as to suggest housekeeping plans. The creepers and the chickadees are chittering away as if planning showers and comparing trousseaus.

The quail family is now quite grown up splitting up into couples who are looking so dreamy-eyed that I suspect romantic thoughts are stirring under their topknots. Our other friends, the white-ringed cock pheasants, look, if anything, cockier than ever, while their dowdy wives have that silly, sentimental air that seems to overtake even old hens at the first hint of spring.

GARDEN GRIEFS

AS IF IT weren't enough for the hounds of spring to bring colds to my head and lumbago-ish aches to my bones, they also divert my thoughts to such mundane matters as fertilizers and weed-killers, moss eradicators and all the other whatha-ve-you that is as much a part and parcel of gardening as a green thumb.

Tools that have lain idle in the toolhouse all winter are taken out—to reproach us for not having cleaned and oiled and painted them, according to the standards demanded by the gardening columnists as a sign of the conscientious gardener.

CATALOGUE CRISIS

THIS TIME of the year, with its warmer sunshine and the business of the birds, also finds reflection in my craving for those alluring catalogues sent out by seedmen and nurserymen to trap the guileless and gullible gardener. And despite a perennial recurrence of alternating moods of ceaseless expectation and perpetual disappointment, I still nourish the wild hope that some day our garden will produce blossoms of a size and lushness aproximating those of the catalogue illustrations.

And because hope springs eternal in my gardening gamut, I blithely go down and buy packets of seeds with a reckless abandon, breathing little prayers that some little bug won't get them before blossom time rewards my unquenchable optimism.

CHILDREN, TOO

PERHAPS NO SECTION of the community reflects the approach of spring more accurately than the youngsters. Little tots seem to spring up on every corner, riding tricycles or kiddycars on adventurous excursions, exchanging confidences over treasured trifles dug up out of littered pockets, or playing with puppies.

I was intrigued by one group of youngsters who had erected a tent-like hideout of old sacks and old boxes up against a garden fence and, armed with six-shooters and Hopalong Cassidy hats and chaps, were playing their own version of "cops and robbers" with great earnestness.

But the best thing of all about spring is that it comes when it is most needed.

Esquimalt Faces Heavy Road Program—Wurtele

Esquimalt ratepayers were forewarned by Reeve A. C. Wurtele Monday that they may have to consider this year a $350,000 money by-law for road and drainage construction.

The reeve said at a council meeting the money was badly needed for permanent repairs to some roads which "are now in deplorable conditions."

The reeve pointed out that a money by-law would be more economical than an expenditure for the temporary maintenance of roads.

He said in the past three years the municipality has spent about $65,000 in maintenance charges.

The proposed money by-law was announced after the council had approved about $18,000 to be spent on the public works department.

The money will be chiefly spent to buy new equipment, including a garbage truck to replace one which has been in use for 23 years.

HUGE FEASTS

The legendary round table of King Arthur's Court was supposed to accommodate as many as 1,600 knights.

Examinations in the Dominion Football Association sponsored soccer classes will be held in the Civil Defence Hall Tuesday night at 7.30. Subjects to be written include laws of the game and fundamentals.

U.B.C. Plans 'Open House' At Week-End

University of British Columbia will hold a giant "open house" on the campus this week-end.

More than 200 displays—ranging from a baby sitting service and scale model of the Kitimat project to an atom smasher and a lie detector—will be demonstrated to an expected 50,000 guests Saturday.

Held every three years, the open house will show British Columbians how their university operates and some of the projects that the students are working on. Seven hundred student guides and 1,000 student demonstrators will assist the public in seeing all the displays on the sprawling campus at Point Grey.

Food services, information and special emergencies will be taken care of by a field telephone system on the campus.

George Aylard of Sidney will assist with demonstrations in the animal husbandry department. Visitors will see many interesting displays in the agriculture section, including livestock, disease control and prevention and meat inspection techniques.

It is expected that Premier Byron Johnson, his cabinet and members of the Legislature will be present for the formal opening in the university library at 11 in the morning.

ANCIENT BRITONS

The early inhabitants of Britain were Celtic and Iberian in origin.

NOTICE OF FIRING PRACTISE

Anti-Aircraft Firing Practise will be conducted from the vicinity of ALBERT HEAD as follows:

7 MARCH 52—1000 hours to 1200 hours
7 MARCH 52—1330 hours to 1530 hours

Practise will be conducted seawards in an arc bounded by RACE ROCKS and BROTCHIE LEDGE and the danger area will extend for eleven (11) miles.

BY ORDER
COMMANDER,
ESQUIMALT GARRISON

B.C. Net Debt $191 Millions

Recent Loan Swells Gross To $269 Million; Average Interest Sharply Down Since 1941

British Columbia's total gross debt amounts to $269,040,963 and its net debt, $191,091,839, as of Feb. 1 of this year, Premier Byron Johnson said today in his budget speech.

These amounts include the latest B.C. loan in New York of $30,000,000.

Since Dec. 31, 1950, the province's gross debt has increased $40,401,976 and its net debt by $19,879,849.

Net debt per capita up to last February was $164.03, compared to $150.45 at the end of 1950, and $177.71 in 1941.

Here is the present structure of the debt:

FUNDED DEBT		
Registered stock and debentures		$245,265,500
Long-term treasury bills issued to Canada and repayable in serial instalments		$22,288,379
Total funded debt		$267,553,879
TEMPORARY DEBT		
Treasury bills sold to Canadian Banks of Commerce		$1,487,084
Total gross debt		$269,040,963
Less:		
(a) Net balance of advances to the province by the B.C. Power Commission	$30,690,227	
(b) Sinking funds	$47,258,897	$77,949,124
Total net debt		$191,091,839

Average interest paid on the gross debt as of February this year amounted to about 3.24 per cent compared to 4.18 per cent in 1941.

P.G.E. At Prince George By Summer, Johnson Says

Railway Shows Operating Surplus For Year; Cost Of New Construction $13,000,000

Extension of the British Columbia-owned Pacific Great Eastern Railway from Quesnel to Prince George will be completed early this summer and total cost will be $13,000,000, Premier Byron Johnson told the Legislature in his budget speech today.

The 80-mile extension was started in 1949.

The province has already advanced $11,750,000 and $1,225,000 is being provided by the federal government.

The premier had some good news for the legislators. He said for the first time in years the railway's operating revenues slightly exceeded expenses.

For many years past the operating account of the railway reflected continuous cash deficits. Those accrued from 1947 to 1950 were particularly heavy because it was necessary to make up for years of postponed repairs and renewals.

In reviewing the financial picture of the railway, Premier Johnson said "much of this so-called asset is but a book value, and a proper appraisal will soon have to be made to ascertain the true present worth of the railway."

Province Gets First Returns From Oil, Gas

Exploration work on British Columbia's oil and gas resources is starting to pay off for the provincial government.

Premier Byron Johnson told the House in his budget address today the province has received its first "substantial" revenue under the Petroleum and Natural Gas Act, which requires exploration interests to pay certain fees and licenses to the government.

During the first nine months of the 1951-52 fiscal year it amounted to $343,763.

"Perhaps the success that has been achieved in Alberta during the past years as the result of the discovery of oil and natural gas may not be duplicated here, but there is an ever-growing conviction that our potentials are great, and that discoveries and the utilization of these natural resources will eventually prove to be a very substantial source of income to this province," said Premier Johnson.

Prior to the blowing in of an oil well in the Peace River area early in November last year, there were 12,326,874 acres under permits and permit application. By Jan. 31, 1952, that area had increased to 22,029,880 acres.

Court Action Faces Erring Home Builders

Esquimalt police were instructed by Reeve A. C. Wurtele today to take court action against anyone found building homes without building permits.

Esquimalt council, Monday, strongly supported their reeve for strong action against anyone engaged in house building without a permit.

The reeve felt that it was about time to take strong action against people who flouted the law. "It's being going on far too long," he added.

Heavy Damage In Two-Car Collision

Both vehicles were heavily damaged Monday in a Fernwood-Pandora collision between cars in charge of John G. Ingham, 3307 Wordsworth, and Gordon Abernethy, 1315 Monterey. Police said Ingham failed to halt at the stop sign.

Damaged was typed as "medium" in the collision at Catherine and Esquimalt between a car driven by Louis C. Decosta, 1212 Juno, and a motorcycle by Robert Labombarbe, H.M.C.S Antegonish.

GRIFFITH TO SPEAK

E. W. Griffith, deputy minister of welfare, will address a meeting of the B.C. Retired Civil Servants' Association Thursday afternoon at 2.30 at 1303 Broad.

LICENSES, GAS TAX NO MATCH FOR WORKS BILL

Expenditures on British Columbia's highways, bridges and ferries in 1952-53 will exceed by an estimated $1,240,493 the revenue from motor-vehicle licenses and gasoline tax, Premier Byron Johnson told the Legislature this afternoon.

He said individuals and certain organizations, which claim the contrary is the case, are wrong in their contention.

Expenditures, he said, will total $23,695,493 and revenue will amount to $22,455,000.

Estimated revenue from the gasoline tax in 1952-53 is $13,750,000 compared to $12,714,386 actually received in 1950-51.

Motor-vehicle licenses and fees in the next fiscal year will bring in an estimated $8,275,000 compared to $8,765,100 received in 1950-51. Motor carrier fees next year will bring in $430,000.

B.C. Power Commission's Net $54,198

The B.C. Power Commission's net operating surplus for the first nine months of the 1951-52 fiscal year was $54,198, Premier Byron Johnson told the Legislature this afternoon.

The commission's stabilization reserve now stands at $1,039,243 compared to $985,045 in 1950-51. It is used for adjusting power rates.

Operating expenses in the first nine months of the current fiscal year were $3,505,924 compared to operating revenues of $3,560,122.

The commission, established six and a half years ago, has shown a surplus each year.

In canceling tolls on the Pattullo Bridge at New Westminster the provincial government is writing off $394,440 of the original capital cost of $4,000,000, Premier Johnson said in his budget speech.

A grand total of $6,242,441 was collected in tolls between 1937 and 1952.

Tolls on the bridge were canceled last month after an arrangement with the federal government.

Premier Johnson explained that tolls collected in the last 15 years had paid operating costs and all interest and debt repayment except for $1,155,591.

The senior government's offer to pay one-half that amount, subject to tolls being canceled, was accepted and a claim on Canada for the payment of $577,796 has been made, said the Premier.

When this sum is received it will be deposited into the sinking funds of B.C., he explained.

LOCAL COLOR

Aged Indian To Restore Park Totems

Victoria is going to get a new, summer tourist attraction. And it will be provided by the provincial government.

Education Minister W. T. Straith announced in the Legislature Monday that Mungo Mark, a 74-year-old native Indian, would be engaged to work at Thunderbird Park during the next three summers to make new totem poles and to restore old ones.

He will have three young Indians as assistants—each from a different tribe.

Straith said present-day Indians are not practising the totem art. Grandchildren of the present generation would lose it—but the government decision encourages apprenticeship.

New Pension Deal Planned

Legislation has been drafted to give teachers and municipal employees a new pension deal, Provincial Secretary W. T. Straith told the B.C. Legislature Monday.

In line with government policy of not dealing with any major legislation at the current session, however, the proposed legislation will be left for the next government which takes office in the fall.

Straith informed the house also that an actuary was working on the pension set-up for provincial civil servants, with a view to providing them with retirement funds more in keeping with the cost-of-living.

Ex-Minister Anticipates Continued B.C. Expansion

Members of the provincial Legislature found it difficult Monday to find any difference between Leslie Eyres, Progressive Conservative M.L.A. from Chilliwack, and the Leslie Eyres who used to be minister of trade and industry.

The dapper, grey-haired legislator had his say during Throne Speech debate but dealt exclusively with the work of the trade and industry department, which he headed until the cabinet break-up in January.

Eyres

Eyres was trade minister for six years. During his one-hour speech, he made repeated reference to "my department." No one objected.

The legislator stayed strictly to an account of his stewardship, and paid high tribute to the workers in the trade department and workers in the employ of the government as a whole.

"I believe we have the finest group of civil workers of any government in Canada," he declared. "The next government should give serious thought to maintaining that reputation. The strength of good government lies in the conscientious people who work for it."

Eyres advocated closer co-operation between departments of government to promote efficiency and to prevent overlapping.

EXPANSION CONTINUES

He pointed with pride to the fact that 1951 was British Columbia's biggest boom year, with industrial expansion totaling $9,000,000.

He foresaw even greater expansion.

"I firmly believe that unless there is a world-wide recession, British Columbia is on its way to becoming one of the great producing areas of the continent.

"Nothing is impossible," he went on "as long as we are united in our desire to utilize wisely men, money, materials and management in the development of our great resources so as to create more secondary industries, which will mean more payrolls—the life blood of our economy."

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ELEVATOR—The cost of Canada's naval-construction program is going up sharply from the original estimates.

Cost estimates for the first three of the main units—destroyer escorts—have been revised upwards by an average of more than 12 per cent. For some smaller craft, the jump is more than 50 per cent.

St. Laurent

The figures covering three of the larger anti-submarine vessels and 10 minesweepers were given in orders-in-council passed Dec. 28, made public after they had been listed in the Commons by Prime Minister St. Laurent.

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KILLED—In Headingly, Man., a truck driver was killed Monday night when crushed and burned in his transport truck after it collided with a work train at a level crossing.

The man, Romeo Paquin, 30, of Winnipeg, was trapped in the flaming, overturned truck cab 40 minutes before he could be reached.

Both truck and train were operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Headingly is 12 miles west of Winnipeg.

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DIED—In Singapore, Col. Sir Vivian Champion de Crespigny, 45-year-old British army officer, was found dead Monday night with a bullet wound through his head.

The Singapore Free Press said it understood that De Crespigny was scheduled to appear before a court-martial at the British military base Friday.

De Crespigny was head of the British military administration in Perak State, North Malaya, after the liberation. He became resident commissioner in 1947.

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DIED—In New York Howard Chandler Christy, famed for his portraits of presidents as well as pin-up girls of a bygone era, died Monday of a heart attack.

Christy

Christy, 79, slumped from a chair in his hotel apartment while writing cheques. He was dead when his widow, Nancy Palmer Christy, returned from an errand.

Mrs. William P. Timmon, described as an "old friend," and a maid were the only persons present when the white-haired artist died.

Christy's work was acclaimed by more than one generation. He became one of America's foremost illustrators after Leslie's weekly and Scribner's magazine published about 400 drawings which Christy submitted from the Cuban front during the Spanish-American war.

VICIOUS—Tornadoes, hail and violent thunderstorms lashed widely scattered areas in Arkansas, Alabama and Georgia as a squall line spawned by a Texas cyclone whipped eastward across Dixie.

At least 10 persons were injured and more than 300 homes damaged or destroyed. There were no deaths reported.

Hundreds of birds were killed in northeast Arkansas, where hailstones "as big as golf balls" piled up to a depth of two inches in some places.

Small but vicious twisters leapfrogged through central Alabama and Georgia, razing homes, uprooting trees and knocking out power and communication facilities.

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SPECULATION—In Vancouver, a disclosure by Canada's top atomic scientist prompted speculation today that Canada has the machinery ready to roll to make an atomic bomb.

Keyes

Dr. David F. Keyes, head of federal atomic energy plant at Chalk River, Ont., said Monday that Canada could produce an A-bomb "very quickly" if the need arose. He said we had all the facilities to do so.

"We have in Canada the most powerful source of neutrons known, and we are producing isotopes, including plutonium, a nuclear furl of which bombs may be made," Keyes told reporters during his Vancouver visit to address scientists at the University of British Columbia.

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FANTASTIC—In Montreal relatives of a city councillor whose failure to turn up for a crucial vote prompted a city-wide police search for his "kidnapper" said today the fuss was fantastic.

Councillor Bruno Lepine, 48, not only wasn't kidnapped, they said. He was home at dinner Monday night while a special squad of heavily-armed detectives was out looking for him.

The same detectives were ordered today by their boss, inspector Wilfrid Bourdon, to find out who hoaxed them into a wild goose chase on the pretense that politicians had had Lepine abducted to prevent him taking part in a vote for a new councillor.

Japanese Quake Takes 31 Lives

Hundreds Injured, Thousands Of Homes Razed By Tremor, Tidal Waves; Tokyo Not Touched

TOKYO, March 4 (AP)—A terrifying earthquake and tidal waves killed at least 31 persons in northern Japan today, injured hundreds and destroyed more than 2,500 homes.

Railway trains were toppled over. Rail lines were reported swallowed by great fissures. A coal mine partially collapsed.

Harbor facilities were badly damaged at Kushiro, a port city of 68,000 on the southeast coast of Hokkaido Island. Kushiro was the centre of destruction.

Most of the dead were in and near the town, on Japan's most northerly island. Tidal waves knocked down warehouses. The quake touched off 11 fires.

BURIED ALIVE

Nine persons were buried alive by a landslide.

The quake was general north of Tokyo. Tokyo itself was not damaged.

The United States 1st Cavalry Division is stationed on Hokkaido and the U.S. 24th Division is in northern Honshu.

They reporetd no Americans injured. Under orders of Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, the divisions turned their facilities to aid the stricken and thousands of homeless.

The quake struck at 10.24 a.m. (5.24 p.m. P.S.T. Monday).

Seismologists at U.S. universities reported it was one of the most severe in the world in half a century.

Columbia University said it was the worst since Aug. 15, 1950, when a quake shook Assam, India. That was the biggest in 50 years. The Japanese quake was about the same intensity.

U.S. seismologists said the shock was centred 60 miles below the floor of the Pacific Ocean.

Tokyo meteorologists located the centre as 43 miles east of Cape Erimo on south central Hokkaido.

Some points were hit by as many as eight tidal waves. At other points the sea rose as much as five feet.

Reds Charge Allies With Intimidation

PANMUNJOM, Korea, March 4 (UP) — The Communists accused the United Nations today of using "bayonets and intimidation" to dissuade war prisoners from returning to the Reds.

North Korean Maj. Gen. Lee Sang Cho told U.N. truce negotiators that could be the only explanation for the Allied charge that many captured Red soldiers do not want to return to the Communist side after an armistice.

Lee thrice rejected the Allied proposal that war prisoners be given the right to refuse repatriation. He demanded that all war prisoners and civilian internees held by both sides be returned.

Rear Admiral Ruthven E. Libby of the U.N. wearily opined after the three-hour meeting that negotiations on repatriation of prisoners were "right back where they were Dec. 18."

There was no progress among staff officers debating supervision of a truce either. Both sides stood pat on their previous statements proposing and rejecting Russia as a member of a neutral six-nation commission to police an armistice.

Early Start On Flood Plan

Premier Byron Johnson announced today the public works department will proceed almost immediately on the long-talked-about Okanagan flood control project.

The sum of $900,000 was included among capital expenditures in today's budget speech to cover the cost of the undertaking.

Authorization of provincial plans must still be given by Ottawa, but External Affairs Minister Lester B. Pearson already has notified the province that the project has been endorsed by Canadian and American sections of the international joint commission on water rights.

EWING BUILDING TRIBUTE TO LATE COLLEGE LEADER

The new library-office building constructed at Victoria College will be named The Ewing Building.

This was revealed in the Legislature Monday by Education Minister W. T. Straith, who preceded his Throne-Speech address with a tribute to the late Dr. John M. Ewing, Victoria College principal.

"Education suffered a great loss in the sudden death of Dr. Ewing," Straith said.

He noted the educator had had much to do with the planning of the new college building, and announced it had been agreed by cabinet to name it in his honor. The building will be officially opened within a few weeks.

Rising Economic Star Determines B.C. Course

Premier Byron Johnson is betting on continued expansion in B.C.

The government's confidence in the future of Canada and in particular British Columbia was the governing factor in composition of one of the main clauses in the proposed Dominion-provincial tax rental agreement for 1952-57, he explained to the Legislature this afternoon in his budget address.

If the new agreement is ratified, B.C. next year will get $41,350,000.

Payments by Ottawa to British Columbia previously have been according to a complicated formula based on a three-year average of the gross national production.

This meant that in a period of fast expansion—such as the last five years—the yearly grants lagged behind the actual growth.

When B.C. and other provinces negotiated the new five-year agreement, Ottawa gave them a choice of adjusting the annual payments on the basis of gross national production on a two-year average or on the year immediately previous.

B.C. adopted the single year factor instead of the two-year average.

SURE OF PROGRESS

"The main reason for the recommendation to this Legislature that the single year factor he adopted rather than the two-year average is the conviction that the next few years will witness a continuous and considerable growth in population and expansion in industrial activities.

"If national and provincial economies were somewhat static, then the averaging process would undoubtedly have merit. But Canada, and particularly B.C., are young, vigorous and fast growing. Therefore, in the long run, eliminating the odd sharp peak or low periods, the overall result is bound to be a consultant rise," said Premier Johnson.

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Lack Of Instructors Hampers Work Of 4-H Clubs On Island

Vancouver Island had a small representation in 4-H Clubs open to any boy or girl interested in farming, it was disclosed at the annual meeting of the Canadian Council of Boys' and Girls' Club work at the Empress Hotel Monday.

There are only 100 members belonging to eight dairy calf clubs on Vancouver Island, Miss Echo Lidster, supervisor of the clubs in British Columbia reported. There were no clubs at present representing the Island's berry, bulb and other agricultural interests.

Miss Lidster blamed the lack of volunteer adult instructors for the low membership in 4-H clubs on the Island.

"We have been limited to dairy calf clubs because no one has come forward to lead other groups," she said.

Miss Lidster also said the majority of members of 4-H clubs who have represented B.C. in national contests have stayed with agriculture.

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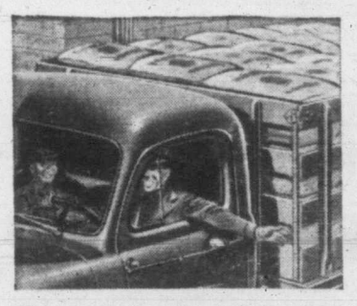

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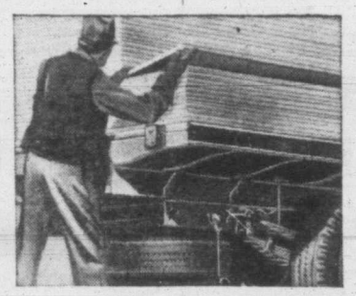

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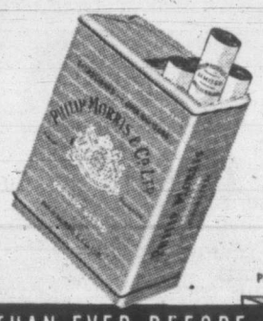

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Where The Money Went

FROM NOW UNTIL THE NEXT NAtional budget is introduced in April Parliament will be able to argue about Mr. Abbott's famous "surplus." After that it will be too late. For in the fiscal year beginning April 1 there probably will be no surplus to argue about. The real question is whether, with present taxes and increasing expenditures, we can get through another year without a deficit.

As analyzed by Mr. Abbott in his recent radio speech to the nation, the surplus which stood at $721 millions on Dec. 31 last, shrinks to small proportions. If, indeed, Mr. Abbott had not collected far more revenue in the current year than he expected he would have incurred a large deficit.

No one can foresee exactly how the books will stand on March 31 but they will not show a surplus of anything like $721 millions even on paper. Heavy year-end expenditures in the last quarter will cut that amount drastically.

Where is the bookkeeping surplus going? Is it going, as some people seem to imagine, into the Ottawa River, to be lost to the taxpayer? Does it represent "over-taxation," as the Conservative Party alleges?

Mr. Abbott shows that nearly all of it has been used up already. Outside all the ordinary estimates of expenditure Mr. Abbott had to find $53,000,000 for housing loans; $100,000,000 to buy equipment for the Canadian National Railways; $150,000,000 to finance the Foreign Exchange Control Fund; $70,000,000 to stockpile strategic defense materials. As against these items the government had non-revenue cash receipts of $150,000,000. It thus had to use $300,000,000 of the "surplus" to meet expenditures outside the budget, leaving about $400,000,000 to pay off debt and increase its cash balances.

In nine months the government paid off $260,000,000 in debt and used $70,000,000 to meet bonds and interest coupons that had matured but had not yet been presented for payment. The net result of all this is that the government had only $83,000,000 more in its current bank balances than at the beginning of the year: "a very modest build-up," says Mr. Abbott "for the heavy expenditures that lie immediately ahead."

What would have happened if the government had not reaped the "surplus?" It would have been compelled to meet all these non-budgetary expenses by borrowing new money, probably to the amount of $300,000,000, and refunding as well all the maturing debt.

"Apart entirely from the fact that this would have cost us another $15,000,000 to $18,000,000 a year in interest-charges," Mr. Abbot adds, "it would have been extremely difficult to market an additional $500,000,000 of new bonds during recent months, as those of you who know something about the bond market will realize. In fact, either it would have diverted an equal amount of savings away from private investment in housing, hydro, iron and oil developments or municipal improvements, or, if we had borrowed in whole or in part from the banking system, it would have been straight inflationary financing under existing conditions."

In plain terms if there had been no "surplus" to draw on the government would have gone heavily into the red, borrowed more of the people's savings which now go into productive enterprises or simply created new money through the banking mechanism when there is already too much money in circulation bidding up prices.

The "surplus" therefore, has been an "excellent thing, not just for the government but for each and every one of you," Mr. Abbot concludes. "It has been an important element in bringing inflation under control . . . has reduced the burden of the national debt and strengthened Canada's credit in the eyes of the world, has indeed been one of the major factors in attracting capital from abroad for Canadian development and enabling the Canadian dollar to rank as one of the strongest currencies in the world today."

The alternative of a deficit, which would certainly have followed any substantial tax reduction, would have had just the opposite effects on inflation, on debt, on the value of the Canadian dollar.

It was considerate of Mr. Abbott to publish these figures in advance of his budget. He has given the Conservatives, who have so long distorted the facts, a chance to change their speeches and square them with the facts before the budget is introduced.

Building For A Fall

THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY, already in a slump in Canada, faces still worse times if wage increases, now in prospect, are effected. The raises threaten to put home building beyond the reach of even the middle income group. The current slackening of demand in Victoria could be seriously extended.

These are the conclusions to be drawn from the latest statistics. Building trade unions in Windsor and Montreal are preparing to ask for 30 to 40-cent wage boosts. Toronto demands are expected to reach at least these proportions, while in Vancouver the talk is of a 60-cent increase and in Victoria, 75 cents.

With wages already the dominant single factor in building budgets, costs increased by such margins would probably price construction labor out of the market except for government and commercial work of too urgent a nature to be postponed.

The answer of carpenters, bricklayers and others, of course, is that they must keep abreast of the rise in the cost of living. Most union contracts have had escalator clauses to this effect, from which increases of about 30 cents an hour have resulted in the past two years. But the figures show that with construction enjoying a bigger boom than any other industry during 1951, with a payroll five and one-half times what it was in 1930, labor's returns in this sector of the country's economy have recorded a greater advance than in any other.

Whereas general industry shows an increase of 14 per cent in the actual buying power of labor despite higher prices, wages in the building trades are three times what they were before the war, giving a purchasing power increase of 44 per cent. In other words, the weekly pay cheque of the building trades today will buy nearly half as much again as it did in 1939.

The danger to those who make their living from construction projects, of course, lies in the fact that their high returns per hour are likely to be counter-balanced by long lay-offs when building is simply too expensive to be undertaken. This is a point to be considered by the union rank and file when negotiating their new contracts.

Chips Off The Old Brock

By DAVID BROCK

I SEE THAT if I have an average family of four, I can cook electrically for them for 75c per person per month. Well, well, and well. I presume this means average cookery. In other words, heating a few tins from time to time. But what if my family happens to be fond of porridge cooked all night . . . of stews cooked for days on end . . . of soup at least 30 times a month in winter . . . of doing its own baking in a big way . . . and of a dozen other quite common kitchen routines . . . what then ? Why, then we'll be told we're disgustingly old-fashioned and rather piggish, too. And I suppose it is piggish, at that, to take an interest in your food. Well, we pigs are very grateful for our heat-storage cooker, which is always ready night and day and which burns about two tons of coal a year. Maybe that means we're pigs about money, too. But who started this argument?

Brock

YUM, YUM, YUM!

HOW HUNGRY are you? Ready to eat your head off? Good. I'm going to save you money. I'm going to take your appetite away for the next day or two, just by telling you a simple recipe. In the women's page of a mainland paper, some bully was picking on the women by telling them to make a simple pudding by boiling dumplings in . . . guess what? . . . in chocolate syrup. Gah! Oooof! Let me out of here quick.

MOO TO YOU

THE THINGS I don't know! Most of of them I'm just as happy not knowing, too. I'm proud of not knowing them. Anybody who does know them appears to me as somebody who is wasting both his time and mine. But once in a while I run across some nasty little bit of accuracy which startles me out of my aplomb, and I feel all humiliated to think I didn't know it. Which is foolish of me. Take, for example, the young deer. I have just learnt that the babies born to roe does or fallow does are fawns, as I always suspected, but the babies born to a female red deer (who is a hind, not a doe) are called calves, not fawns. It's all very well saying "The hell with it." I've tried that myself. But I can't help brooding, just the same.

HOW'S THAT AGAIN?

I SEE THAT OUR resistance to polio and other germs has got very low because we've got so clean now, we can't stand even a few germs. So we've just got to get even cleaner still . . . that's our only hope. But is it? Wouldn't it be a lot healthier if we just broke ourselves in slowly to getting dirtier and dirtier? Sounds more efficient.

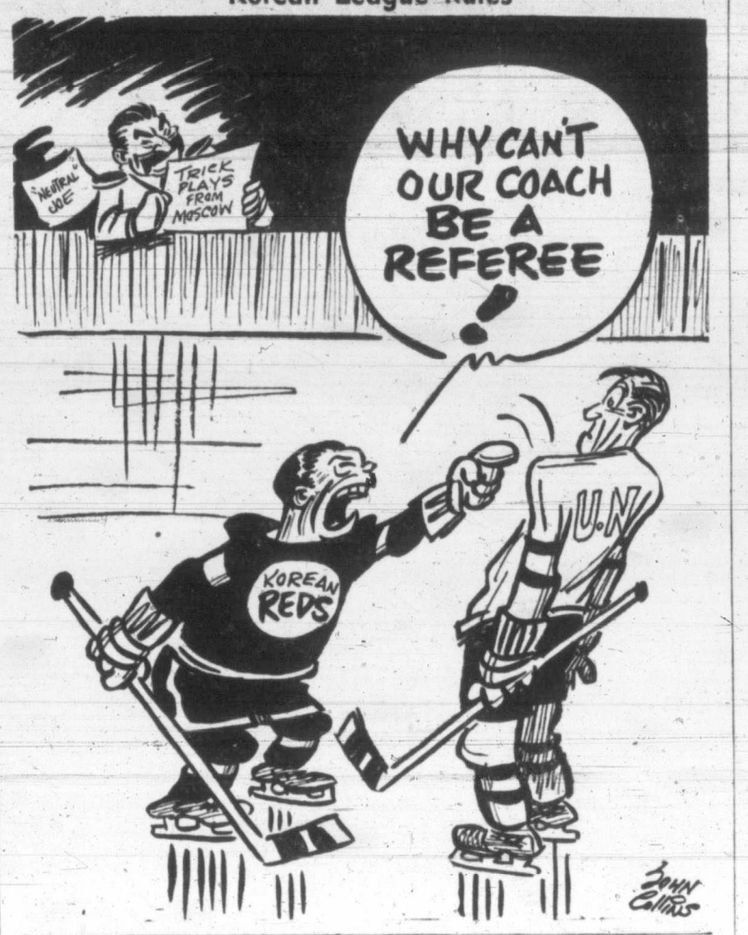
COMMON AILMENT

IN THE PAST 13 years I have lived in five houses. In each, I have lived next door to a high school youth who spent nearly all his waking hours (and maybe his half-waking ones as well) at washing and shining his father's car. Is this merely a coincidence? Have I by accident run across the world's only five cases of a rare disease among adolescents? Or do five cases in a row prove that this is a very common ailment? Washing and polishing a car once in a while is fine. Doing it frequently is probably even better. But to do it without stopping is psychopathic. When a woman does that to a house, she is obviously a nervous wreck and should see a doctor. When a high school boy does it, I think his nerves have died and he should see a girl.

LOST INTEREST

WHEN I WAS 20 I thought it was nice and naughty
To attend many stage spectacles named "40-Girls-40."
But even if there were still any here, it wouldn't seem nifty
Any more to me. For I'm nearly 50, girls, 50.
But here's a horrible thought, most gloomy and weighty:
What if I want to go back again when I'm 80, girls, 80?

Korean League Rules



Under Our Roof

By JOHN RHODES STURDY

THERE has been a certain amount of confusion about the reallocation of rooms since Col. S. Skeffington-Smutts (Ret.) and his bride Anastasia returned to the house from their honeymoon. The original idea was that the Colonel and Anastasia would take up residence in the Colonel's old quarters and that would leave a spare bedroom; a situation which has been unknown in our house since some time early in 1951.

Sturdy

First Hamish said he wanted the bedroom as a hot-house, because the ex-assistant janitor has suddenly developed the gardening bug. Immediately the Colonel got irate and thundered that the room was being reserved for his brother, Percy Skeffington-Smutts, a D.P. from Afghanistan, who has just arrived in this country with no place to go, and, of course, almost anyone who arrives in this country with no place to go, ends up at our house.

Anastasia declared she wanted the room for her personal use, and produced her elephant-gun to back up her demand, but for once no one paid any attention to her. The stakes, I suppose, were too high.

Little Augie, the blind pig king, was the only one who refused to enter the argument.

Of course, I had the silly idea that, seeing as I owned the house, I might conceivably get the bedroom for my family. Not that I mind living in the shed, but as my wife says, it's no place to bring up a child. So I tentatively put forward the suggestion that we might move back into the house—at least until Percy arrived—and of course, I got absolutely nowhere.

So nobody could agree on the bedroom, and in the meantime there were four perfectly good walls and a floor going to waste. Hamish and the Colonel and Anastasia were watching one another like hawks, just to make sure that the other two didn't try to invade the premises. And that gave me a brilliant idea. If they were so busy watching one another, they might not notice me.

So the other evening I sneaked into the disputed room, just to scout the situation. The interior surprised me. For one thing, the bed and most of the furniture were gone. In their place were three or four card tables and some chairs.

I was scratching my head in perplexity when a knock came on the door. I opened it and there stood a little man I had never seen in my life before.

"Joe sent me," he said.

He looked a little nervous. "Joe who?" I demanded.

He shook his head. "Just Joe," he said. He took off his hat and sat down at one of the card tables. I sat down at another, and we looked at each other.

"Nice weather," he said.

I was about to reply when there was another knock on the door. I answered it, and a stout man entered. "Frank sent me," he said.

He took a seat at a third card table and began to read a newspaper.

"Not so chilly tonight," the little man said to me.

Suddenly the stout man at the third table snorted and put down his paper with a slap. "Just been reading that column, 'Under Our Roof,'" he said. "Craziest thing I ever read. Those things just don't happen to real people."

I was about to reply to that, too, when my attention was diverted to a calendar hanging on the wall that separated this room from a large clothes closet. The calendar was moving.

As it swung aside a pair of eyes appeared in what seemed to be a hole in the wall. And a voice asked: "What'll it be?"

"The usual," said the stout man.

"Make it two," said the little man.

"Make it three," I said, completely fascinated.

In a couple of moments the calendar moved again and a hand appeared. It held three glasses. The stout man, the little man and myself got up and each of us took a glass.

"Put it on the cuff," said the stout man.

"Same here," said the little man.

"Same here," I said.

The hand touched my shoulder. "Sorry, bub," said the voice. "Strictly cash for new customers."

I was so surprised, that I gave the hand 50 cents. But imagine—Little Augie refusing to give me credit in my own house!

As Our Readers See It

EVOLUTION

Your correspondent, S. A. Whitfield, writes of "pernicious evolution" because he thinks evolution is contrary to God's word. However, some Scripture writers seem to have been scientifically inspired with the idea of evolution when they wrote: "The valleys shall be exalted and the mountains and hills shall be laid low."; "All flesh is grass"; "For dust thou are and to dust shalt thou return"; "What is your life, it is even a vapor", etc., etc.

So there you have the whole field of evolution, Vapor, Dust, Grass, Flesh, and eventually, Mr. Whitfield.

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PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

Your recent editorial, "The Engineers Look at Rewards" has been read with interest by many professional engineers and I have been asked to comment on their behalf.

You state that a number of engineers have already left the government service for more adequate remuneration elsewhere. This is true, and the loss of these men has already had an adverse effect on the efficiency of several government departments. Unfortunately a good many other engineers have almost reached the end of their patience and are contemplating leaving government service soon, unless some tangible recognition of their abilities and responsibilities is forthcoming.

The loss of these able and experienced engineers will have an adverse effect on efficient government for many years to come. They cannot be replaced quickly, regardless of any improved standard of remuneration that may follow.

The government is very fortunate in having as civil servants a considerable number of very competent and highly qualified professional engineers. Their interest in their work, and their sense of public duty, have been the principal factors in their remaining in the employ of the government. Regardless of salary conditions, these men will probably stay. They are not interested in acquiring wealth, nor even a big salary, or they would not have entered government service.

However, these men cannot be expected to function as a training cadre for those who come and go, and still perform the work which their department is expected to perform. The number who "come and go" is increasing rapidly, so much so that, in some departments, 75 per cent of the time of senior engineers is spent in training replacements.

It is appreciated that the government cannot compete with private industry in matters of pay. At present, however, government salaries for engineers are completely out of line. The average government engineer, regardless of his qualifications, experience or responsibility, is being paid less than 75 per cent of the salaries of his contemporaries in private industry. This is far too wide a gap.

Security and pension benefits in government service are very nebulous factors, particularly the latter. Those who retired a few years ago with pensions of $70 and $90 per month, after a lifetime of service, are very dubious about the wisdom of their original choice of employment.

A professional engineer in the employ of the government is often responsible for the spending of large sums of money, and directing the effort of many men. His efforts and his decisions have a considerable influence on the well-being and development of this province.

It is important that men of integrity, be attracted to and encouraged to remain with the civil service. Unless the present low standard of remuneration for engineers is considerably improved, the standard of engineering in many government departments will deteriorate seriously.

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Today's School Prepares Children For Today And It Can Be Fun: An Answer To Dr. Hume

(By a Victoria Teacher)

IN THIS SPACE yesterday appeared a condensation of Dr. William E. Hume's Maclean's Magazine article criticizing present methods in education. The article posed the question, "Are the schools ruining your child?" and the reply was a "vigorous and well-documented 'Yes.'"

That is an opinion that cannot go unchallenged.

The arguments advanced by Dr. Hume are familiar. They represent an attitude frequently expressed, based on certain facts that are true and certain statements that are not fact. The school today is not spoiling your child. It may not be making your child perfect, but though the school may strive for perfection, it does not expect to attain it.

Visit Your Local School

Let's consider some of Dr. Hume's statements. He says, among other things, that "Learning is never fun." Basically that is too sweeping to be true. In my own experience I have found those lectures given at U.B.C. by the late Dr. Sedgewick among the most enjoyable experiences in life. I learned more about Shakespeare because "learning was fun" under Dr. Sedgewick.

That is an example from university instruction. It might, I suggest, be found by someone else in a lower grade.

Of course, learning doesn't have to be fun. Often it isn't. But it can be, and frequently is more effective when it is enjoyable. To say it is never fun seems to me idiotic.

Dr. Hume appears to recognize and dismiss very briefly the influences on the present child of harmful movies and "tawdry magazines." Such influences can't be brushed away. They carry an impact on the child which has to be counteracted—and I believe the modern school with its accent on library use, on beneficial moving pictures and other constructive forms of modern science is seeking to combat those undesirable features.

"I remember the village school where I spent my youthful days as a very happy place," writes Dr. Hume.

Most people, those of Dr. Hume's generation and those who have graduated only recently, feel much the same way about the old school.

But Dr. Hume apparently does not take into consideration the fact that in his youth, school was for the student, if not for the scholar. Those not equipped for academic courses didn't advance through school. Today every child must attend until he is 15. And it seems to be the determination of almost every parent that the child will continue on up through high school, even if he does not reach college.

Dr. Hume is talking about one type of scholar—the student of his day—and trying, it seems to me, to relate conditions adequate for that type to the mass of students attending class today.

We have, in some schools, enough students to permit segregation. That enables us to teach the brighter children in a special class, and virtually every proposal suggested by Dr. Hume can be applied to such particular groups. They have the ability to attain an education in the way he prefers.

If the same methods were to be applied to the mass, our schools would gradually shrink in enrolment. We would be placed in a position similar to that which applied in the old days, when the less gifted or less "brainy" child automatically fell out of school when, or before, he reached the limits of his powers of absorption to the academic fare offered him.

As conditions exist, most schools have to handle all types of students. Classes must be geared to the needs of the majority. Under those considerations, could Dr. Hume's standards of excellence prevail?

On the other hand, if students are failed out, where will they go? And what will parents, who pay taxes, have to say about this more exclusive selection of pupils?

There has been an admitted decline, though not a spectacular one, in the standards of English and mathematics in British Columbia schools. Efforts are being made to correct conditions which are permitting that decline.

Some students will come out of school unable to read well or write well. Some students have always come out of school with those deficiencies—even in the time of Dr. Hume.

It should, I think, be understood that our schools in B.C. have never attained the extreme in "progressive education" which some people assume they have. There is, moreover, a moderation in process now from the original enthusiasm for the techniques tried with limited success. Education is, and must be fluid. It is striving to overcome weaknesses in the present system, and it is still trying to educate children for the world to which they have been born.

May I draw attention to the highly effective educational feature sponsored by The Victoria Daily Times recently. We had, in Greater Victoria, the dog, Knee-Hi, whose lessons in traffic safety were spectacular and impressive. That innovation in the school course, did, of course, take some time that might have been devoted to some other subject—possibly reading, writing or arithmetic. Yet the time spent was highly worthwhile, not in teaching children how to enjoy a richer life, but merely how to stay alive.

That is a point which may indicate some of the problems which have entered the educational realm since Dr. Hume's day in the village school. It is a fairly vital ingredient in education, though it may not improve a student's English or mathematics.

(Series Continued Wednesday)

Regimentation Out

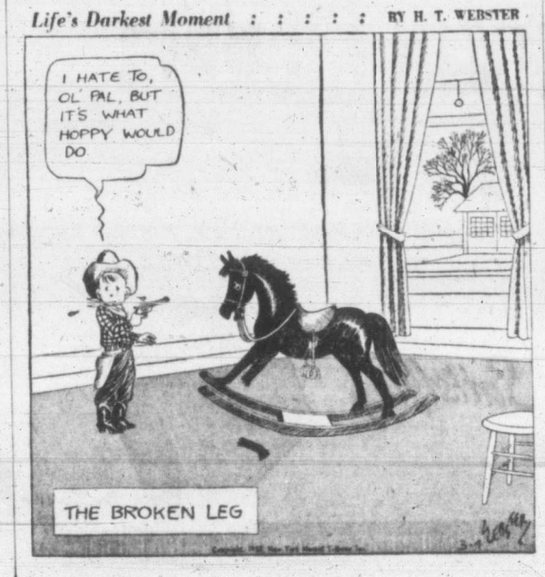
Toronto Globe and Mail

Liberty-loving Britons are heaving a sigh of relief over the abolition of the identity card, a hated symbol of regimentation. The end of it was foreseen a year ago when a Yorkshireman named Harry Willcock won front-page fame around the world by refusing to show his card to a policeman. Haled to court, he fought his case to the highest tribunal.

Technically he lost it, but the press credited him with a "resounding victory" because Lord Chief Justice Goddard said, in giving judgment, that it was "wholly unreasonable" for the police to ask for identity cards except when looking for criminals or stolen property. The new British government has taken this judicial hint and thrown the card system out of the window.

The government has not simply abolished a now superflous wartime regulation; it has made a real sacrifice of power. It has done so because it respects the British public's intense dislike of totalitarian methods. The identity card, of course, is an essential part of the apparatus of the police state. Britain wants none of that; and so the decision to scrap the cards does credit to both the people and the government.

Life's Darkest Moment : : : : : BY H. T. WEBSTER



"The Last Forty Days"

The Shepherd

THE SAMARITAN WOMAN

"Give me this water." —John 4:15.

Despite the feud The
Master chose . . . To
meet and talk with
one of those . . .
Whom Jews despised,
at Jacob's Well . . .
For Jesus felt that
He must tell . . .
Her how The Water
of Life was free . . .
To Jew and Gentile,
said that He . . . Was
The Messiah, and all
should adore . . . The
Lord in spirit to
make Him more . . .
Than tribal god. I
wonder if you . . .
Think He belongs to
just a few?

—JULIEN C. HYER.

Ups And Downs

By BRIAN TOBIN

"EVERYBODY," said the Elevator Man, "has heard the story of the parson who habitually carried an umbrella. One day in a restaurant he saw another man walking out with a bumbershoot. 'Here, here,' he thought. 'That's mine.' He followed the man out and into a nearby library. Not wishing to lay a charge or create a disturbance, he waited until the man laid the umbrella down. Then the parson quietly picked it up and left. When he got home with it he found his own umbrella in the hall stand where he'd forgotten it that morning. Our most well-meant efforts can get us in a jam like that now and then. None of the stories ever tells how you get out though. They just leave you flopping there like a fish that missed the ladder. Mezzanine!

Tobin

"Folks say," said the Elevator Man, "that life is really a series of jokes—just a string of humorous incidents. It's a pity in some ways that that isn't so because then you could cut one item off short when it got too difficult and get along with the next one. The trouble is, life is continuous. Each event leads up to the next, and when you get stuck with a stolen umbrella in real life you can't just put in an exclamation point and switch over to a new episode. You've got to do something about cleaning up the mess you've got into. Joe Miller's joke book isn't a real substitute for life, although they do have a lot in common. Going down!

"Life and the joke book," said the Elevator Man, "almost got together in Istanbul the other day. A fella felt his pocket being picked on a crowded trolley. He waited his chance and then lifted the pickpocket's wallet in turn. Then when they got off the car he offered to trade with the thief. But the latter, thinking fast, set up a howl that he'd been robbed and denied that he had taken anything. It took several policemen to get the original victim out of his predicament. I guess it's risky even for honest men to steal."

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1952— 175.4 HOURS

SYNOPSIS: Another outbreak of Pacific air pushed over the B.C. coast during the night, bringing rain to the coastal areas and scattered snow flurry activity to points over the Interior. Brief periods of clearing may appear along the coast during the day but the weather is expected to be more or less unsettled in the next two days. Cloud cover will prevent any sharp drop in night-time temperatures. Afternoon temperatures will touch mid-40's along the coast and 30 to 35 over the Interior.

REGIONAL FORECASTS VALID UNTIL MIDNIGHT WEDNESDAY

VICTORIA: Cloudy with scattered showers today. Variable cloudiness Wednesday with showers at night. Little change in temperature. Winds southwest 20 tonight, light Wednesday. Low tonight 37; high Wednesday 45.

WEST COAST: Variable cloudiness and scattered showers Wednesday. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Low tonight and high Wednesday at Estevan Point, 35 and 45.

VANCOUVER AND GEORGIA STRAIT: Cloudy Wednesday. Showers tonight and again Wednesday night. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Low tonight and high Wednesday at Vancouver Airport, Abbotsford and Nanaimo, 37 and 45.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. John's	32	36	.18
Halifax	14	30	
Montreal	10	23	
Toronto	29	31	.02
Winnipeg	—17	7	.01
Regina	—24	— 1	
Saskatoon	—23	— 6	
Lethbridge	1	15	
Calgary	4	6	.02
Edmonton	— 5	5	.01
Kamloops	31	35	
Penticton	33	36	.01
Vancouver	40	43	.17
VICTORIA	38	48	.02
Kimberley	18	33	
Prince George	12	31	.08
Fort St. John	16	— 5	.31
Seattle	39	45	.32
Portland	41	48	.35
Chicago	32	35	.48
San Francisco	46	55	.29
Los Angeles	48	61	
New York	33	38	
Whitehorse	4	8	.04
Ottawa	17	22	
New Westminster	37	42	.40

TIDES AT VICTORIA

Mar.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
4			5.35	9.3	16.21	3.3		
5	2.47	9.3					17.17	3.2
6	3.49	9.4					18.06	3.2
7	4.08	9.2					18.48	3.2
8	4.29	8.9	8.04	8.2	11.13	8.3	19.25	3.3
9	4.21	8.7	8.12	7.7	12.20	8.3	20.00	3.5
10	3.48	8.4	8.34	7.1	13.19	8.3	20.31	3.8
11	3.29	8.4	9.00	6.4	14.10	8.2	21.02	4.3
12	3.36	8.4	9.34	5.7	15.04	8.0	21.30	4.9
13	3.54	8.6	10.13	5.0	16.02	7.8	22.01	5.6
14	4.14	8.8	10.57	4.3	17.06	7.5	22.28	6.3
15	4.33	9.0	11.44	3.7	18.30	7.3	22.45	7.1

TIDES AT POINT ATKINSON

Mar.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
4	1.33	13.2	6.25	12.1	9.47	12.5	18.21	4.5
5	2.51	13.7	8.37	11.8	10.46	11.9	19.24	4.5
6	3.40	14.1	9.26	11.2	12.24	11.5	20.17	4.4
7	4.14	14.3	10.06	10.5	13.45	11.4	21.02	4.4
8	4.40	14.4	10.32	9.8	14.48	11.6	21.45	4.4
9	5.04	14.4	10.58	9.1	15.41	11.9	22.22	4.6
10	5.26	14.3	11.21	8.4	16.32	12.3	22.58	4.9
11	5.46	14.1	11.47	7.6	17.19	12.6	23.34	5.5
12	6.05	14.0	12.15	6.8	18.06	12.9		
13	0.09	6.2	6.34	13.9	12.45	5.9	18.55	13.1
14	0.43	7.2	6.42	13.9	13.19	5.0	19.47	13.2
15	1.17	8.3	7.02	14.0	13.57	4.3	20.45	13.1

SAANICH INLET

To determine tides in Saanich Inlet area, For higher high water, deduct 14 minutes; for lower low water, deduct 35 minutes; for half-tide (those other than highest and lowest), deduct 32 minutes.

COWICHAN BAY

To determine tides in Cowichan Bay area: For higher high water, deduct 16 minutes; for lower low water, deduct 38 minutes; for half-tides, deduct 33 minutes.

Ex-Sailor Seeks Liberal Backing

John A. Coates, a naval veteran and pre-law student at Victoria College, will contest the Liberal nomination in Esquimalt for the coming provincial election.

Coates served in the Royal Canadian Navy from 1941 to 1949 and earned the rank of lieutenant. He is 28.

He was born on Mayne Island and studied at Kitsilano High School, Vancouver, and at the R.N. college, Dartmouth, England.

Coates is married and has three daughters. He helps operate a 15-acre Langford farm.

FAMOUS RIVERS

The Thames is England's busiest waterway, but the Severn is the longest, flowing 220 miles.

WEEK IN JAIL URGED FOR M.L.A.'s

Winch Would Educate Hard Way

M.L.A.'s should each be required to spend one week in jail and one day in a mental institution every year.

The proposal came from E. E. Winch, veteran M.L.A. from Burnaby, Monday. He made the suggestion in apparent seriousness because he felt most legislators did not understand the state of affairs in institutions of this kind. "It would be a good idea if every member of this House was required to spend one week in jail. I won't say one week in a mental hospital because some of them wouldn't survive that long. But I would say 24 hours."

Winch

Winch dealt at length with conditions at Oakalla prison farm and at Essondale, the provincial mental hospital.

He condemned overcrowding at the penal institution and was alarmed at the present practise of putting two prisoners to a cell. He said the outcome of that was "inevitable."

He noted the normal capacity of Oakalla was for 460 prisoners but that the average population last year ran to 914.

1,800 DOPE ADDICTS

He dealt at length with the case of drug addicts and estimated that there were 1,800 such persons in B.C.—about half the Canadian total.

He condemned the present practise of arresting the addicts and putting them in jail. He argued the law should concentrate on putting behind bars peddlars of narcotics. He said the users needed medical treatment rather than a jail term.

He condemned the attitude of Attorney-General Gordon Wismer, who had previously stated the drug addict was more of a federal problem than one for the province.

Mental Cases' Cost Of Care Amazes House

Twenty-five per cent of British Columbia's 8,000 civil servants are engaged in looking after the mental health of the province's citizens, Provincial Secretary W. T. Straith revealed in the House, Monday.

Further, he pointed out, 5,500 persons are patients in B.C. mental homes, in comparison with 6,000 patients in general hospitals throughout the province.

The provincial secretary somewhat amazed the House by noting that it cost less than $3 a day to take care of those confined to mental hospitals, whereas it cost $10 and more to look after those in general hospitals.

"We have 24-hour care, skilled personnel, highly complicated equipment and skilled engineers to look after it in mental hospitals," he said.

Straith said there were 1,800 admissions to mental homes in 1951, and that 504 voluntarily sought treatment.

Australia Announces Defense Expenses

CANBERRA, March 4 (Reuters). — Australia will spend £1,500,000 on modernizing and developing munitions and aircraft plants, the defense production minister Eric Harrison has announced.

ANCIENT DEVICE

Battering rams are believed to have been used in warfare by the ancient Assyrians.

Victoria Students Win Poster Awards

Anne Thomas, Victoria High School student, tied for the $50 grand prize in a poster contest sponsored by the B.C. Teachers' Federation in Vancouver.

Elimination contests were held throughout the province.

Other local winners in the Vancouver final were Peter Jackman, Elizabeth Clark, Janet Allan, Keith Murray and Mary Jane Smith, all of Victoria High, and Robert D. Genn, Mount Douglas High.

SUDDEN DEATH

George Exley, 79, of 711 Princess, collapsed and died Monday on Carey Road. Saanich police and firemen attempted to revive the heart attack victim with a resuscitator.

Free Book on Arthritis And Rheumatism

HOW TO AVOID CRIPPLING DEFORMITIES

An amazing newly enlarged 44-page book entitled "Rheumatism" will be sent free to anyone who will write for it.

It reveals why drugs and medicines give only temporary relief and fail to remove the causes of the trouble; explains a specialized non-surgical, non-medical treatment which has proven successful for the past 33 years.

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NEW YORK, March 4 (UP).—When Varner Glazauvs, 33, a Latvian lawyer, received a tubular cardboard package in the mail he telephoned the police bomb squad. He said the package was similar to those which German newspapers warned against opening. Police opened the package and found six carnations from Glazauvs' fiancee in Hamburg.

Mother Faces Suicide Pact Murder Charge

PENTICTON, B.C., March 4 (CP).—Mrs. Manfred Seeberg, a young housewife who survived what police allege was a family "poison pact," was charged with murder Monday.

Police said Mr. and Mrs. Seeberg decided to kill their ailing year-old daughter, Victoria, and then take their own lives.

The child and father died. The mother somehow survived after taking, police said, the same unnamed potion which killed them.

Charged with murder in the child's death, Mrs. Seeberg was remanded to March 11 when she appeared in police court here on Monday.

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Sports

MANAGERS LIVING IN THE PAST . . . PLAYERS NOT GIVING THEIR ALL

Pro And Con: English Football Below Pre-War Standards

By GEORGE CHANDLER
British United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON, March 4 (BUP)—Although the alarming accounts of a continued slump in English soccer are receiving a lot of space in the sports pages, facts do not justify some of them. But there is no doubt that many directors, officials and managers of first division clubs are worried.

It is not the question of relegation or big financial problems, but the undisputed fact that soccer is failing to maintain its crowd-drawing power and place the game in an unsassailable position as compared with other sports.

As usual in a situation such as this, players are seeking to place the blame on club officials for the falling off in the standard of play, while directors in turn assert that lack of soccer ability is due to players losing their form.

Commenting on this situation, an England international, who preferred to remain anonymous in order not to upset the feelings of his club, said:

"Football definitely falls some way short of prewar standards. One of the big tragedies is the number of youths who look like potential stars at 17, and just 'level out' into very ordinary players by the time they are 20."

The player also accused some of the present-day managers of still living in the past. "The attitude of a former manager of mine was: 'You fellows will never be the tops, but if you play the way I tell you, you may do well enough to get by.' In other words, he killed our individuality, and in some cases the spirit of the players as well."

In reply to these assertions, Billy Scott, manager of Preston, said: "We are no longer able to educate boys to soccer's fundamental as we used to do." And to further stress his point he added: "Clubs have so many gaps to fill that they take chances with youngsters and pitchfork them into league football before they are ready."

This situation reacts on the clubs in the long run, as facts and figures prove that many of the youngsters who tried out in league soccer have faded out after a season or two in the professional game.

Stanley Cullis, manager of Wolverhampton and formerly one of the best centre halfbacks England ever had, was emphatic that the drawing power rests with the players themselves. "It all boils down to what the players give in the way of entertainment value," Cullis said. And some of them, Cullis believes, could give rather more than they do today.

This falling off in the standard of play and the consequent drop in the attendance money is causing many directors to do some heavy thinking and making economy in spending their No. 1 task.

Some clubs have been more fortunate in this respect. For instance Manchester United showed a profit of £150,000 sterling between 1946 and 1950. In the same period Burnley cleared 60,000 sterling and Tottenham Hotspur 68,000 sterling.

The economy campaign is already going into effect. Instead of paying fabulous transfer fees, several of the clubs are trying out players in different team positions. Aston Villa was among the first to inaugurate this experiment. They switched their international centre halfback Con Martin into a goalkeeper. He has played so well in this position that it is only in an extreme emergency that he will be called upon to play in his old position.

This move on the part of the clubs will result in a decrease in the size of transfer fees; at least, that is what a lot of soccer experts believe. But not Major Frank Buckley, the most colorful and experienced of all football managers.

Buckley, 68-year-old manager of Leeds United, collected 100,000 sterling in transfer fees when he was manager of Wolverhampton. He first shook the soccer world when he transferred inside forward Bryn Jones from Wolverhampton to Arsenal for the sum of 14,000 sterling—at that time the highest price ever paid for the transfer of a professional player.

Many experts believe that the £34,000 paid for the transfer of Jack Sewell will remain an all-time record. But not Buckley. "I believe I shall live to see the first 50,000 sterling transfer fee," he said.

This statement was made with the full knowledge that clubs are not falling over each other to sign up stars from other teams.

IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Just like last year, the Pacific Coast Hockey League might go right down to the final game—**Victoria at Seattle, March 23**—but unlike last year, this time it may be sixth place and not first place the prize the **Cougars** are seeking . . . but to **Eddie Dorohoy** the issue is clear . . . he's still in a good position to recapture his league scoring title . . . and watch the **New Westminster** wolves howl if he manages to edge **Gordie Fashoway** for the honors. . . . Last year, it will be recalled he picked up four points in the final game to nip **Kenny Ullyot** by a nose. . . .

Don't hesitate if you're asked to buy a ticket to aid the **Laurie Given Fund** . . . the popular secretary of the **Commercial Hockey League** is seriously ill at home after a siege in the hospital . . . baseball fans will remember **Laurie** as a member of the **Tillicum Athletic Club** and other senior ball nines before the war . . . he has been one of the main forces behind the Commercial League since its inception. . . . Here's wishing Laurie a speedy recovery. . . . He has given a lot to sports in this town . . . now its the sports' turn to do a little for him. . . . Cougar railbirds have been impressed with the showing of the **Doug Anderson-Les Hickey-Walt Atanas** line of late. . . .

Walker

If you're interested in statistics, **Victoria Cougars** are the only P.C.H.L. team with a losing record at home. . . . 12 victories, 15 defeats and three ties. . . . **Calgary** has the league's worst record on the road while **New Westminster** and **Saskatoon** are the only clubs to boast a winning percentage away from home. . . . **Tacoma** has the league's highest scoring average, 4.24, with **New Westminster** a close second at 4.21. . . . A letter from **William J. Clark** (Dominion Hotel) tells of the great work **Ted Duffin** has done with youngsters in over 40 years . . . **"never one to seek the limelight, Ted was always willing to and eager to lend a helping hand."** . . . **Ted** and **Nick Lyster** will guide the Victoria entries in the **B.C. Golden Gloves** at Vancouver this week-end. . . . **Ted,** incidentally, gave **Clark** his first boxing lessons . . . (hotel guests take note). . . . **Bill Clark's** brother, **Gordon,** was a well-known competitor in the Pacific Northwest several years ago. . . . **"Black Jack" Stewart,** who recently retired from an active **N.H.L.** career was named to the first all-star team three times and the second team twice in his 12 years under the big top. . . . **Joe DiMaggio** has signed to a 15-minute filmed Sunday television show for 26 weeks starting in April . . . this plus a color television stint before and after Yankee games will net Joe more than the **$80,000** he got for playing centre field for the **Yankees** last year. . . . It is **reliably** reported that both **Ain Thompson** and **Buzz Long** will be given shots at the **Shamrock** goal job this year. . . .

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Another good answer to a race track in Victoria is **Eddie's Boy,** owned by **Speed Kermode.** . . . **Eddie's Boy** goes against some of America's top stake horses in Saturday's **$50,000 San Juan Capistrano** handicap at **Santa Anita.** . . . And best wishes for a speedy recovery to **Rollie "Pop" Whyte,** a real sport and sports fan. . . . Out in the **Cordova Bay** area they're boosting **Noel Andrew** for mayor. . . . Noel is coach of **McMorran's** intermediate B boys island hoop titlists, a real credit to the community and to the **Saanich and Suburban League,** long the doormat of city squads. . . . McMorran's haven't a home floor of their own . . . travel to **Lake Hill** for practises and **Sooke** for their playoffs. . . . Not forgetting their effervescent sponsor **Eric McMorran** . . . record this year, 23 victories, one defeat. . . .

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Victoria golfing circles gain an honored member of the divot clan real soon when **Hugh Morrison,** ex of Vancouver, takes up residence here . . . and friends of **Jack McDonald,** the ex-J.B.A.A. oarsman will be pleased to learn that Jack is now a **T.C.A. captain** . . . he has been transferred to **Halifax.** . . . **Alan Duval** reports that Ross Derkin has resigned as B.C. Amateur Boxing Association secretary with **Harry Bloor** taking over again. . . . Staffer **Bill Holland,** who took in the ski-train jaunt to **Courtenay** reports the up-island centre's hospitality was marvellous. . . . Bill's on the lookout for a set of skis at the moment. . . . Good reading on the basketball fix scandal can be found in the current issue of **True Magazine.** . . . While in **Colliers** you can get the pennant finishes right now and make your plans for the **World Series.** . . .

Quote from **Dick Irvin.** **"Elmer Lach** is the greatest player who ever played in the **National Hockey League."** . . . **Doug Bentley** rates **Gordie Howe** of the **Detroit Red Wings** as the best he ever saw. . . .

River Beauties

This shows that some freshwater fishermen brought home the bacon on the opening of the 1952 Island trout season last week-end. Victoria's Jack Harris displays some of sparkling-fresh trout he and Joe Hancock, river guide, hooked. They were using the wet fly, Parmachene Belle Hackle, in the Cowichan River headwaters.

Wings Near N.H.L. Title

Howe Leads Scoring Race; Sawchuk Holds Big Edge

MONTREAL, March 4 (CP)—Detroit Red Wings have just about clinched first place in the waning 1951-52 National Hockey League season.

Today, the Wings have 87 points, 17 more than the second-place Montreal Canadiens, made up of 38 victories and 11 ties in the 61 games they have played. They have dropped but 12.

Wings moved nearer their fourth straight league championship Monday night with a 3-2 victory over Chicago Black Hawks. It will take nine Montreal victories and nine Detroit defeats if the Canadiens are to win the crown.

Main reasons for Detroit's strong position in the six-team league can be found in the individual performances of Detroit players.

Gordie Howe of the Wings lead the league in points and goals scored and goalie Terry Sawchuk has chalked up 11 shutouts for a goals-against average of 1.85 a game.

Howe's league leading point total is made up of a record 39 goals and 32 assists. In second place is Montreal's Elmer Lach, who has 13 goals and a pace-setting 46 assists for 59 points.

Ted Lindsay of Detroit holds down third place with 54 points—21 goals and 33 assists—and Don Raleigh of New York comes next with 51 points—16 goals and 35 assists.

ROLLINS NEXT

The closest to Sawchuk is Al Rollins of Toronto, who had a 2.11 goals-against average. He has five shutouts, the same number as Jim Henry of Boston.

The Leafs are the most penalized club with 702 minutes spent in the penalty box, and the Rangers are the least penalized club with 478 minutes.

League badman "honors" go to Gus Kyle of Boston, who has spent more than two full games—123 minutes—off the ice.

Leaders follow:	G.	A.	Pts.
Howe, Detroit	39	32	71
Lach, Montreal	13	46	59
Lindsay, Detroit	21	33	54
Raleigh, New York	16	35	51
Smith, Toronto	20	27	47
Geoffrion, Montreal	26	20	46
Peirson, Boston	18	28	46
Kennedy, Toronto	17	28	45
Abel, Detroit	15	29	44
Mosienko, Chicago	24	17	41
Richard, Montreal	25	15	40
Gee, Chicago	16	23	39
Kelly, Detroit	12	27	39
Meger, Montreal	21	17	38
Schmidt, Boston	18	20	38
Bentley, Toronto	22	15	37
Curry, Montreal	20	16	36
Sloan, Toronto	20	16	36
Gamble, Montreal	20	16	36
Reay, Montreal	7	29	36
Prystal, Detroit	18	17	35
Watson, Toronto	22	13	35
Gardner, Toronto	11	24	35
Slowinski, New York	15	19	34
Ronty, New York	10	24	34
Stewart, New York	13	20	33

ROCKET MAY PLAY SOON

MONTREAL, March 4 (CP).—General Manager Frank Selke of Montreal Canadiens announced Monday that Maurice (Rocket) Richard, Canadiens injured right-winger, will return to Montreal next week.

Richard, who has been out of hockey several weeks because of a groin injury, went to Florida for a rest about a week ago.

He telephoned Selke to say he plans to be in Montreal March 12.

NHL SUMMARY

CHICAGO 2, DETROIT 3

First period—1, Chicago, Dewsbury 19.41. Penalties: Stasiuk 5.12, Willuk 6.54, Lindsay 8.48, Dewsbury 13.25.

Second period—2, Chicago Peters (Guidolin, McFadden) 0.38; 3, Detroit, Prystal (Pavelich, Leswick) 2.32. Penalties: Pavelich 2.56, Gee 2, 4.43 and 17.56, Howe (minor and misconduct) 12.21.

Third Period—4, Detroit, Pavelich (Leswick) 2.29; 5, Detroit, Kelly (Prystal, Pavelich) 9.51. Penalty: Raglan 9.31.

	W.	L.	T.	GF.	GA.	Pts.
Detroit	38	12	11	175	113	87
Montreal	31	22	8	175	139	70
Toronto	25	20	16	141	128	66
New York	20	28	13	157	181	53
Boston	18	27	15	131	157	51
Chicago	15	38	7	133	193	37

BASEBALL BRIEFS

By UNITED PRESS

PHOENIX, Ariz. — Manager Leo Durocher planned to use all his front-line Giant pitchers today in an eight-inning intra-squad game.

Durocher's infielders were glad to get to the showers yesterday after he gave them a long workout on the "run-down" play. Third baseman Bobby Thomson, who is taking his first spring training period as a regular infielder, found he had plenty to learn about running down a man between third and home.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla.—Carl Scheib, the big right hander who was the Athletics' top relief pitcher during the last two months of the 1951 season, has a sore arm and has been ordered not to throw a curve for the next two weeks.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—Johnny Mize, veteran Yankee first baseman, weighed in at 234 pounds—eight under his 1951 world series weight—when he took his first workout Monday.

VERO BEACH, Fla.—Pitcher Ralph Branca was suffering from an attack of asthma and catcher Roy Campanella was out with a recurrence of the thigh injury which hampered him late in the 1951 season as the Dodgers took a heavy batting drill Monday.

CLEARWATER, Fla. — Manager Eddie Sawyer said today he was pleased with the hitting, throwing and fielding of Jack Lohrke and Vernal Jones during their first infield drills at the Phillies' camp. Lohrke played shortstop and Jones was at first as Sawyer predicted they would give the club "a strong bench" this year.

Dorohoy Trails Agar, Fashoway In Point Race

A quiet hockey week-end for Victoria Cougars saw Eddie Dorohoy slip slightly in the red-hot battle for the Pacific Coast Hockey League individual scoring championship.

With Dorohoy idle since Friday night when he garnered one assist, George Agar of Calgary and New Westminster's Gord Fashoway tip-toed away from the Victoria centre.

Agar picked up a goal and an assist against Saskatoon to run his scoring string to 80 points on 33 goals and 47 assists. Fashoway also drew a goal and an assist to remain two points behind Agar and two points ahead of Dorohoy.

Leading scorers follow:	G.	A.	Pt.
Agar (Calgary)	33	47	80
Fashoway (New West.)	47	31	78
Dorohoy (Victoria)	25	51	76
Johnson (Tacoma)	29	41	70
Kubasek (Edmonton)	22	48	70
Kaleta (Saskatoon)	34	35	69
Fielder (New West.)	24	45	69
Chad (Saskatoon)	28	41	69
Young (Tacoma)	35	31	66
Bradley (Tacoma)	32	34	66
Manson (Vancouver)	35	31	66
Bell (Seattle)	36	29	65
Kerr (Tacoma)	25	40	65
Popein (Vancouver)	31	33	64
Strain (Saskatoon)	30	34	64
O. Dorohoy (New West.)	33	27	60
Paul (New West.)	27	32	59
Thomas (Calgary)	23	35	58
Johnson (Edmonton)	32	25	57
Kilburn (Edmonton)	27	29	56
MacDonald (Tacoma)	26	30	56
Love (New West.)	16	39	55
Frampton (Victoria)	29	24	53
Hunter (Saskatoon)	12	41	53
Rouse (Saskatoon)	27	25	52
Leger (Victoria)	14	38	52
Hebenton (Victoria)	28	23	51
Anderson (Victoria)	13	28	41
McIntyre (Victoria)	20	16	36
Abbott (Victoria)	14	22	36
Evans (Victoria)	12	24	36
Medynski (Victoria)	10	13	23
Atanas (Victoria)	17	5	22
Geegan (Victoria)	8	14	22
Roche (Victoria)	5	14	19
Strongman (Victoria)	2	16	18
Bouchard (Victoria)	3	12	15
Ballance (Victoria)	7	7	14
Hickey (Victoria)	1	3	4

TIME OUT!

By Jeff Keate

"Next time you're winning, don't get smart and tell me I don't know how to use a paddle!"

Saanich Hoop Sked Released

The Saanich and Suburban Basketball League has released the following schedule for March 6 to 8:

March 6, at Sooke:
Junior boys—Sooke vs. Brentwood.
Intermediate B boys—Sooke vs. Saanichton.

March 7, at Brentwood:
Pee-wee girls—Brentwood vs. Sooke.
Junior boys—Brentwood vs. Victoria (exhibition).
Senior C men—Brentwood vs. Gordon Head All-Blacks.

March 8, at Saanichton:
Midget girls—Saanichton vs. Brentwood.
Junior boys—Saanichton vs. Sooke.
Senior C men—To be arranged.

NEW YORK—Jose Basora, 172½, Puerto Rico, outpointed Al Winn, 165½, New York (8).

CHICAGO—Dale Hall, 197, Los Angeles, outpointed Bob Johnson, 192, Detroit (8).

QUEBEC—Fernando Gagnon, 118¼, Quebec, outpointed Willie Alexander, 123, Philadelphia (10).

Eagles Nip Tzouhalem On Duncan Card

Only one local team came out on top in three Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association games at Duncan, Sunday.

The lone winner was Eagles, who downed Tzouhalem Alter Boys, 3-2, in an exhibition contest.

In the other two games, Harris Cycles of the second division, fought to a 1-1 tie with Army, Navy and Air Force Vets, while Cowichan Braves and Victoria College played to a 2-2 draw in a junior division fixture.

Saturday, Victoria Combines of the junior division, jumped into a first-place tie with Heaney's, defeating the Cartagemen, 2-1. Ken Barnes scored both goals for the victors, while Webster tallied Heaney's lone marker.

Eagles third division squad downed the league-leading James Bay Merchants, 4-1, in one of their best games of the second half. Scrimpet tallied all four goals for Eagles, while Gale scored James Bay's singleton.

In the fourth division, Mic Mac's defeated Combine Pee Wee's 4-0, behind the two-goal effort of Atherton and singletons by Paterson and McLaren, while St. Louis College's fifth division squad blanked Malvern House School, 1-0.

Canadians Beaten

KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 4 (AP) — Wimbledon champion Dick Savitt of East Orange, N.J., and Budge Patty of New York swept into the final round of the Kingston International Tennis Tournament Monday.

Savitt, who won the U.S. indoor title a week ago, defeated Brendan Maeken of Montreal 6-1, 6-3. Patty decisioned Lorne Maine of Vancouver, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2.

Fans Stay Away As Mat Program Moves Location

The fact that promoter Nick Harris was wrestling on his own card Monday night probably wasn't the reason, but no more than 350 fans turned out to the new mat location in the Victoria Ballroom Monday night.

Harris showed the handful of fans that he still remembered the holds that won him plenty of matches in his wilder days of grappling in Vancouver, as he downed the popular Bud Rettel in a straight-fall decision in the special event.

Fans were a wee bit bored with the fact that out of the four bouts on the card there was only one villain, namely, Gordon Hessel.

Hessel took on Ted Evans and, little by little, started to cut him down to ground level, finally applying the coup de grace.

In the semi-main event, another hero-meets-hero duel, Kamel (The Turk) Mahmout decisioned Seattle's Al Watkins in straight falls.

Roy and Lionel Speller battled to a draw in the opener.

FIGHT RESULTS

SAN FRANCISCO—Bob Dunlap, 182½, Oakland, Calif., outpointed Cesar Brion, 198, Buenos Aires, Argentina (10).

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Irish Bob Murphy, 195, San Diego, Calif., outpointed Roy Thomas, 176, New York (10).

RICHMOND, Va. — Alfredo Lagrutta, 144½, Milan, Italy, outpointed Angel Chaves, 139½, Hartford, Conn. (8).

NEW ORLEANS — Irish Bobby Lloyd, 141¼, Baltimore, outpointed Raoul Luengo, 141¾, Spain (10).

HOCKEY SCORES

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL SENIOR
Nelson 6, Kimberley 4.
(Nelson wins best-of-five semi-final 3-1.)

WESTERN CANADA JUNIOR
Edmonton 5, Moose Jaw 3.

SASKATCHEWAN JUNIOR
Prince Albert 3, Saskatoon 4.

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DOUG BENTLEY LEADS QUAKERS TONIGHT

'DeLisle Dandy' One Of Hockey's Greats

By BILL WALKER

Doug Bentley, who will be an honored guest at Memorial Arena tonight, isn't any bigger than the eye of a needle.

But when it comes to threading one of the greatest scoring records in modern hockey, the 150-pound DeLisle Dandy hasn't missed a stitch.

Elder of the famed brother combination of N.H.L. fame, Toronto's Max being the active half, Doug will be honored because of his great N.H.L. career which came to an end this season with his loan to the Saskatoon Quakers.

Quakers have the option of purchasing Doug's contract from the Chicago Black Hawks at the end of the season.

Doug, who has seen six of other seven clubs in the league, New Westminster being the exception, is impressed by what he has seen. "It's a very good league," he says. "The difference between this league and the N.H.L. being the better positional play, more consistent back checking and more body checking in the N.H.L."

In addition to being the holder of 531 N.H.L. scoring points — highest number among active players in the N.H.L. when he dropped out of competition this year, Bentley is also the third Saskatoon coach to show here.

His point mark is bettered only by Bill Cowley who retired with 548 points, a record which Montreal's Elmer Lach has broken this year.

DOUG BENTLEY
. . . all-time great.

Bill Cook was the first Quaker coach to precede Bentley, his Quakers dropping an 8-3 decision here early in the year. Bill went on to the New York Rangers to be replaced temporarily by Frankie Edolls, who in his only visit west piloted the second-place Saskatoon club to a 6-0 whitewash of the Cougars.

But in Bentley the Quakers have an able replacement.

He led the N.H.L. in scoring in the 1942-43 season with 73 points and the next year finished second to Herb Cain with 77 points. Always a prolific point getter, Bentley won several scoring honors during his 12 years in the N.H.L.

He was tops in goals in 1942-43 with 33, high again with 38 goals the following season, led the league in assists with 37 in 1947-48 and again in 1948-49 with 43 when he was second in total points with 66 to teammate Roy Conacher's 68.

He started the current season with Chicago but strained nerves and a groin injury caused him to take a prolonged rest which eventually led to the Saskatoon position.

Bentley will be at centre, left wing or defense, or all three positions tonight when Cougars host the Quakers.

It's still in the mathematical category, but the Cougars have a chance to yet gain the lowest but now coveted post-season berth, currently held by Vancouver Canucks and threatened by Calgary Stampeders.

Game time is 8.30.

Near Riot Seen As Saddler Disqualified

BURKE TAKES PLAYOFF—THIRD STRAIGHT VICTORY

BATON ROUGE, La., March 4 (AP).—For 91 holes it looked like the inaugural $10,000 Baton Rouge Open golf tournament would never end.

Then in a driving rain, poker-faced Jack Burke Jr., propelled a ball over a flooded green to break the deadlock, end the sudden-death extra playoff, and win his third straight major tournament in three weeks.

The tournament was supposed to end Sunday. But at the end of 72 holes three pros—Burke of Houston, Tex.; Bill Nary of Albuquerque, N.M., and Tommy Bolt of Durham, N.C., and Houston—were tied with seven under par 281's.

An 18-hole playoff was held Monday but the trio was still tied with two-under-par 70's. Then came the sudden-death playoff.

On the 19th, Bolt dropped by the wayside when he fell short with a six-foot putt. That left it to Nary and Burke, and the little Texan birdied the 20th with a 20-foot putt to take first prize.

In winning his third straight tournament, Burke shoved his winnings above the $6,000 mark for three weeks' work.

Police Called To Halt Crowd Brawl

(From B.U.P. and A.P. Dispatches.)

Sandy Saddler, world featherweight champion, was today fined $500 for his fouling tactics in the bout with Montreal's Armond Savoie at Montreal Monday night. The decision was awarded Savoie.

Saddler was disqualified between the third and fourth rounds of his scheduled 10-round bout with the Canadian lightweight champion.

The disqualification produced a first-class rhubarb. Fans milled about the ringside and fights broke out among them. Three carloads of police hurried to the Montreal Forum to stop the brawling and shoo the crowds away. Saddler's handlers were wrathful at the disqualification.

Saddler weighed 130½ and Savoie 134.

NEW YORK MESS

Last Oct. 5, chairman Bob Christenberry of the New York State Athletic Commission, suspended Saddler indefinitely as an aftermath of a bout with Willie Pep, a rough-house affair in a title bout at the Polo Grounds in New York Sept. 26. Pep had his license revoked. Saddler was reinstated in New York Dec. 5.

Monday night's disqualification came after Saddler was repeatedly warned by referee Tommy Sullivan for holding, heeling and other illegal tactics.

After the third round ended, Emile Gauthier, president of the Montreal Athletic Commission, climbed to the apron of the ring and told Sullivan to stop the fight. Sullivan then declared Saddler disqualified and walked over toward Savoie's corner.

GENERAL FREE-FOR-ALL

The crowd—there were 8,334 paid admissions — sat as if stunned for a minute and then let out a roar. Then hundreds began milling about the ring and fights broke out between bettors.

Referee Sullivan said Saddler was "fouling continually—heeling, holding and hitting on the breaks and sending in low blows," and "it looked to me for a while as if he wanted to be disqualified."

Matchmaker Raoul Godbout refused Gauthier's orders to freeze Saddler's purse, saying he had to pay the fighters "and I think you exceeded your authority."

Charlie Johnson, Saddler's manager, claimed Savoie kept turning his back and Saddler was doing nothing illegal by keeping on punching.

Bert Briscoe, Saddler's trainer, exploded: "We'll ruin Montreal as a fight town. We'll warn American fighters to stay away from here or they'll get the business."

Canada Hoop Playdowns In Full Swing This Week

Three western provinces this week begin the process of elimination leading to the western Canada senior men's basketball final and ultimately to the Canadian championships.

Alberta heads into the final round Friday while at the same time B.C. and Manitoba will open semifinals. Saskatchewan has no entry.

Following provincial playoffs the winners in B.C. and Alberta will meet at the home of the Alberta champion in a western semifinal.

The winner of this best-of-three series will move to Manitoba for the best-of-five western final March 29 to April 4.

In Alberta, Edmonton Meteors and Magrath Rockets will tangle in a best-of-three series for the provincial crown. Meteors finished in first place in the Alberta League this year, thus gaining the right to stage all three games at home. The first is scheduled Friday with the second Saturday and the third, if necessary next Monday.

Four teams remain in the chase in B.C. Vancouver Eilers, who knocked out the defending champion Vancouver Clover Leafs, meet Port Alberni Athletics in a best-of-five series starting Friday in Vancouver.

The other B.C. semifinal sends Penticton Omegas against Prince Rupert Jets at Penticton. The best-of-three series starts March 14.

The Alberta-B.C. series is scheduled for March 25 to 27.

Western Canada's winner will move to the home of the eastern champion for the best-of five Canadian final starting April 7.

Maple Leafs In Ice Final

KIMBERLEY, B.C., March 4 (CP).—Nelson Maple Leafs came from behind with two third-period goals Monday night to beat Kimberley Dynamiters 6-4.

The victory gave Leafs the best-of-five Western International Hockey League semifinal series three games to one. They now meet Trail Smoke Eaters in a best-of-five final with the first game set for Trail Thursday.

George Barefoot, who played a standout game all the way, got what proved to be the winner at 1.43 of the third to give Nelson a 5-4 edge.

Crowe Scores Winner As Mount View Edges Vics

It was a long wait for Mount View High School before they scored their second goal in a close inter-high soccer game on Monday, but the magnitude of the goal made the wait worth while.

Playing Vic High on the Mount View pitch, Garry Crowe's squad blasted in a goal eight minutes from the end of the game to give the suburbanites a 2-1 decision from the smooth Vic High club.

Mount View started quickly, rapping in a goal before the game was minutes old when Abtar Singh found the net with a well-placed drive.

Vic High held the offensive edge in the first half, but were blocked at every turn by Mount View's acrobatic goalie, Gene Pednault, who stood on his ear making saves in the opening half.

Vic High managed a goal near the end of the half when Lorne Oakley beat Pednault. But that was as far as Vic High could go.

Fading as time ran out, Vic High was gradually forced back into its own end by a strong Mount View attack which was culminated when Crowe scored the tie-breaker.

OAK BAY VICTOR

In the only other game, Oak Bay managed a 2-1 victory over the Esquimalt rep team.

Esquimalt opened the scoring midway through the first half when Gerry Carter headed a neat ball past Oak Bay's Laurie Vietch.

Minutes later, on a free kick, Gerry Rovers of Oak Bay tied up the game. With the visitors continuing to press, the half ended in a 1-1 deadlock.

Continuing to dominate the play, Oak Bay kept plugging throughout the second half. With time slowly running out, Ken Barnes kicked in what proved to be the winning counter.

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Oak Bay	1	0	0	2	1	2
Mount View	1	0	0	2	1	2
Victoria High	1	1	0	2	3	2
Mount Douglas	0	0	0	0	0	0
Esquimalt	0	2	0	2	4	0

City Lifters Fare Well

Victorians John Furmston and Fred Atherly finished second in the British Columbia open weight-lifting championships in Vancouver over the week-end.

Furmston was runner-up in middle-heavy class, finishing behind Vancouvers Fred Miani, while Atherly finished second in the light-heavy event behind Adi Moorthy of the mainland city.

Weight-lifters from three divisions, middleweight, light-heavyweight and lightweight will compete in Victoria for the Vancouver Island weight-lifting championships at the Central Junior High School gymnasium March 14.

SANTA ANITA

First Race—
Haunted (Baird) $4.50 $3.20 $2.80
Gifted Gal (Neves) 4.70 3.40
Freya (Moreno) 4.00
Time, 0.33 1-5.
Second Race—
Dolphin (Marsh) $6.40 $3.70 $3.20
Heel-Stay (Longden) 5.80 4.70
Zingaro (Pearson) 9.10
Time, 1.11 2-5.
Third Race—
Wild Glory (Yorke) $6.70 $3.70 $2.60
High Notion (Baird) 3.50 2.50
Chalon (Marsh) 2.60
Time, 1.47 2-5.
Fourth Race—
Pass Below (H. Moreno) $10.10 $4.80 $3.50
Crown O'Glory (Anderson) 4.50 3.60
Peggy Fly (York) 5.80
Time, 1.12 2-5.
Fifth Race—
Toubolady (Shoemaker) $4.20 $2.80 $2.20
Sir Abbey (Peterson) 5.00 3.10
High Spade (Longden) 2.80
Time, 1.12 4-5.
Sixth Race—
Coil Commtd (Valenzuela) $4.00 $2.70 $2.50
Kingly (Neves) 3.70 3.70
Toro de Oro (Marsh) 6.70
Time, 1.40.
Seventh Race—
Bridlerings (York) $12.90 $7.50 $5.10
Admiral Drake, (Shoemaker) 7.80 5.30
Mohammedan (Convall) 3.40
Time, 1.11 3-5.
Eighth Race—
Schroon (Shoemaker) $12.60 $6.70 $4.10
Galacope (Neves) 14.90 6.40
Troy Chief (Longden) 3.40
Time, 1.25 1-5.

FAIR GROUNDS

First Race—
Suggested (Nash) $10.60 $5.50 $4.20
Stop and Think (Burr) 10.60 7.10
Bobs Allbi (Atkinson) 12.20
Time 1.11.
Second Race—
Minus One (Woodhouse) $39.30 $16.70 $9.60
Velo Song (Zakoor) 6.00 4.40
Texas Reward (Widman) 3.90
Time 1.11 4-5.
Third Race—
Toboggan (Wilder) $9.30 $5.70 $4.10
Statue (Scurlock) 6.40 4.50
Straight (Rodriguez) 5.20
Time 1.47 3-5.
Fourth Race—
Bedouin (Atkinson) $3.90 $2.60 $2.40
Imurugy (Breckons) 3.40 2.70
Tahitian (Scurlock) 3.00
Time, 1.10.
Fifth Race—
Mass O'Gold (Breckons) $5.40 $3.10 $2.60
Altered (Scurlock) 3.80 3.00
Inseparable (Church) 3.60
Time, 1.48 4-5.
Sixth Race—
Wise Scholar (Stull) $3.90 $2.80 $2.60
Fort Salonga (Boulmetis) 3.90 2.90
Southwave (Scurlock) 10.70
Time, 0.33 4-5.
Seventh Race—
Dark Star (Burr) $10.20 $6.20 $4.60
Brookhaven (Picou) 5.50 3.30
Emardee (Atkinson) 3.30
Time, 0.33 2-5.
Eighth Race—
Hyp Home (Schmidl) $12.80 $7.20 $4.60
Question Eight (Bitchell) 4.80 3.50
Knight-at-arms (Rdrigus) 11.90
Time, 1.51 2-5.

TRAIL RINK BEATEN

Manitoba Takes Bonspiel Lead

WINNIPEG, March 4 (CP)—Manitoba came up with two wins on Monday's opening play in the five-day Canadian curling championships, the only rink to score a double victory.

Manitoba's two victories came at the expense of Saskatchewan and Quebec. Walsh's rink defeated Frank Hastings of Nipa, win, 9-8, on the first round, then took Ken Weldon of Montreal, 10-7.

Manitoba today defeated British Columbia, 9-8.

The Manitobans didn't look too impressive in victory as the front end were missing badly on the early rounds.

Nova Scotia's Henry Blanchard of Truro went to the last rock to edge Art Simpson of Alberta, 8-6, on the second draw. Blanchard had a bye on the opening round, while Simpson was blasting Newfoundland's Tommy Tomelin, 23-7.

SURPRISING DEFEAT

Reg Stone came back to defeat Ralph Limerick of Fredericton, N.B., 11-6, after suffering a surprising 7-6 setback at the hands of Dr. J. R. Clark of Peterboro, Ont., earlier in the day. Dr. Clark had the second-round bye.

Despite only breaking even on Monday's play, Hastings of Saskatchewan turned in two fine matches. He outcurled Walsh throughout most of the first game and was defeated only by a fine last shot by the Winnipeg Fort Rouge skip. The Hastings' boys made few mistakes against Prince Edward Island, winning easily 12-4.

FIRST ROUND

Ontario	101	020	100	020	7
British Columbia	010	201	010	001	6
New Brunswick	202	001	020	130	11
Quebec	010	010	101	002	6
Manitoba	003	010	000	401	9
Saskatchewan	100	300	110	020	8
Prince Edward Island	101	210	100	101	8
Northern Ontario	010	001	030	010	7
Newfoundland	010	104	001	000	7
Alberta	203	030	320	361	23

SECOND ROUND

Newfoundland	000	010	230	030	9
Northern Ontario	211	102	001	200	13
Saskatchewan	032	201	010	130	12
Prince Edward Island	000	010	101	001	4
Manitoba	012	020	102	110	10
Quebec	100	103	010	001	7
New Brunswick	010	201	010	100	6
British Columbia	203	010	101	021	11
Nova Scotia	101	201	010	101	8
Alberta	010	020	001	020	6

P.C.H.L. STANDINGS

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Westminster	60	36	14	10	253	147	82
Saskatoon	59	31	16	12	239	189	74
Tacoma	62	28	24	10	261	231	66
Edmonton	62	27	27	8	217	220	62
Seattle	61	26	26	9	219	240	61
Vancouver	63	21	33	9	210	256	51
Calgary	62	20	33	9	243	283	49
VICTORIA	61	19	35	7	213	269	45

Donnybrook Marks Island Juvenile Hockey Playoff

Why is it that whenever Victoria and Nanaimo minor hockey teams clash there is trouble?

Hostilities were renewed again Monday night when the Victoria juvenile all-stars and the Nanaimo all-stars played through a ragged 50 minutes of hockey which saw the locals come out on the better end of an 8-1 decision and the worst end of a major brawl.

The game climaxed a two-game total-goal playoff series which saw Victoria win 10-3.

Throughout the game numerous penalties were handed to both teams by referee Jack Lockie for such offenses as charging, holding and tripping.

The brawl originally started late in the third period between the hub city's Jack Milburn and Victoria's Doug Bamborough, but within five minutes the imbroglio included every player on and off the ice.

Lockie separated the two battlers and sent them back to the players' benches.

But as Bamborough skated towards the box he was knocked to the ice by a severe cross-check on the neck from behind by Milburn. This started the fracas all over again.

For the second time the referee broke them up and again Bamborough groggily started towards the penalty box. This time Milburn swung his stick at Bamborough, knocking out two teeth.

To climax the donnybrook, Milburn kicked the referee in the leg with his skate.

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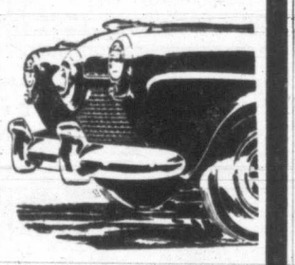

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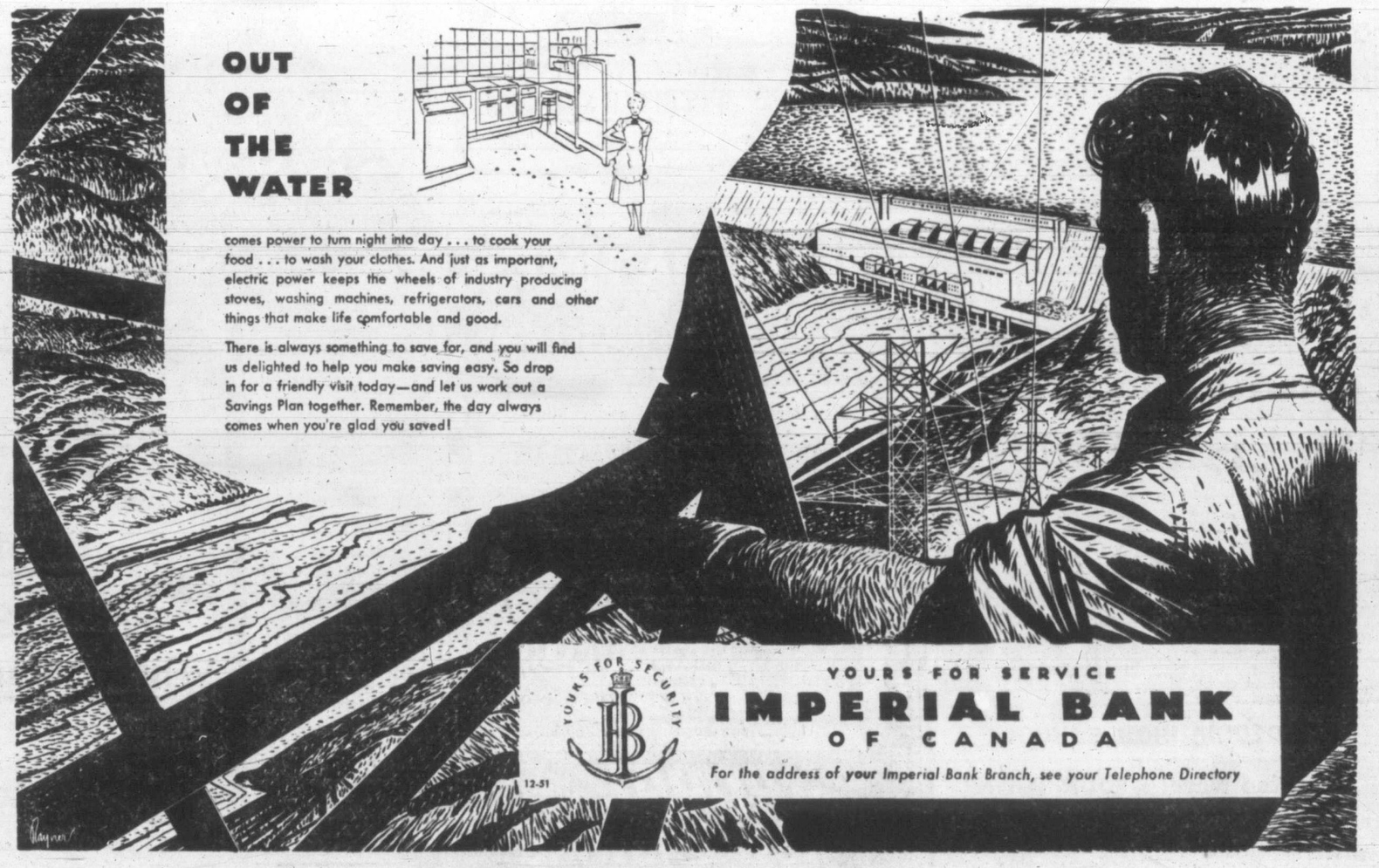

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AWESOME RIVER OF SOUND

Symphony, Choral Group Thrill House In Elijah

By AUDREY ST.D. JOHNSON

There is no nobler or more richly-textured sound in the world than that of a great chorus and orchestra performing in combination.

A complete presentation of an oratorio like Mendelssohn's "Elijah," which the Victoria Symphony Orchestra and Victoria Choral Society undertook Monday, is in the nature of a major emotional experience, whether or not one is equipped to follow the music in detail.

One can not more listen to those great sonorous periods, or the intervals of lyric calm, without being moved, than one can watch a mighty river crashing over cataracts and flowing swiftly through deep, quiet places without a feeling of awe.

Chorus, orchestra, and four guest soloists, under the direction of Graham Steed, gave a performance having many of the important virtues as well as a few major flaws.

The bass part of Elijah, the prophet, to which fall such beautiful arias as "Lord God of Abraham" and "It Is Enough," was sung by Sten Englund, last heard in Victoria as soloist with the Beethoven Choral Symphony.

RESONANCE, POWER

Englund has a superbly resonant and powerful voice which he uses well except in the higher register where there is a tendency to whiteness of tone. He became more imbued with the spirit of the work in the second part, attaining considerable majesty, in contrast to a rather colorless opening.

I was more than ever impressed with the timbre, range and volume of Margaret Myles' contralto. It is, in addition, a beautifully trained voice with a sincere and balanced temperament underlying it. Her "Woe Unto Them" and "Rest in the Lord," were creations of genuine beauty.

Catherine Wendol is also blessed with a voice of unusually pure texture though there is a disconcerting quaver in certain notes. Nevertheless, she sings well, with confident artistry.

The tenor was Ewart Wesley, who appeared in place of Karl Norman, at almost the last minute. Perhaps due to this fact, nervousness seemed to interfere with his production of what is, substantially, a fine voice.

CONFIDENT CONTROL

The chorus and orchestra worked well together under the leadership of Steed. His control of the great mass of tone was firm and confident.

The whole performance was rhythmically vital, smooth and cohesive. Interpretively it lacked something in breadth and nobility; it was less moving than it might have been, and there were some instances of poor attack and intonation from both bodies.

It was an admirable accomplishment, nonetheless, with many memorable moments; not the least, the delicate-sweet, soprano solo phrases interpolated by Master Roger Steed, young son of the conductor.

School Growth At Fast Pace, Says Straith

Enrollment in B.C. schools this year is 10,000 over what it was during the last school year, W. T. Straith, provincial minister of education, made known in the Legislature Monday.

"That means we had to find 330 new classrooms and 330 new teachers," the minister pointed out.

Straith

Next September, when another school year begins, B. C.'s population of school-age children is expected to increase by still another 12,500. After that, the minister said, the pressure on schoolrooms may be easier.

During the past four years, he said, $54,000,000 worth of new schools were constructed. Half this cost was borne by the province.

During the coming fiscal year, he said, $20,000 worth of new schools will be raised—the province once again bearing half the cost.

STUDENTS STAY

"British Columbia has a tremendous holding power," he said. "Sixty per cent of the children born in B.C. go to grade 11 here, and 21 per cent go right to grade 13 or further."

Speaking of the University of B.C., Straith said the $5,000,000 building program set five years ago was now nearing completion.

He said new plans had been made for increasing facilities of the medical faculty.

He revealed $1,500,000 would be required to provide a pathology building to serve the school, but that this would be built at Vancouver General Hospital, and would serve both the school and the hospital.

IN TOWN TONIGHT

ON THE SCREEN

ATLAS — "Darling How Could You," at 1.29, 4.06, 6.43, 9.25, plus "Niagara Falls."

CAPITOL—"Sailor Beware," at 1.00, 3.03, 5.06, 7.09, 9.17.

DOMINION — "The Worm's Eye View," at 1.05, 3.56, 6.47, 9.43; "Wherever She Goes," at 2.22, 5.13, 8.09.

FOX—"Magnificent Yankee," plus "A Lady Without Passport," at 6.30, 9.05.

OAK BAY—"Soldiers Three," at 7.21, 9.29.

ODEON—"The River," at 1.00, 2.58, 4.56, 6.54; last show, 8.35.

PLAZA—"The Wicked Lady," plus "The Smugglers."

ROYAL—"Quo Vadis," at 1.22, 4.44, 8.06.

P.C.H.L. Hockey, 8.30, tonight, at the Memorial Arena, Cougars vs. Saskatoon.

Work May Start Soon On 7½-Mile Tunnel

PARIS, March 4 (Reuters—Work on a 7½-mile-long tunnel linking France and Italy may begin later this year. French, Italian and Swiss officials of the Mont Blanc Tunnel Commission are meeting here to draft a constitution for international control of the tunnel.

Bate Gets No Support For Arena, Park Plan

With lack of support somewhat obvious, Councillor H. K. "Pat" Bate Monday night withdrew a motion to Saanich Council to approach the city regarding participation in operation of Memorial Arena and Royal Athletic Park.

"I feel it's worth looking into," Councillor Bate said. "If it isn't, then we could drop it."

L. H. Passmore, acting reeve in the absence of Reeve J. W. Casey, said he had promised to support the motion in order to have it discussed.

"I think opinions of the councillors are against it," he said.

"We should concentrate on what we have in hand," Councillor G. S. Eden said. "The sewer program will require close attention to put it through successfully. We should see our own house in order before taking on other obligations."

Councillor Roy Wootton won council support of a motion to investigate the construction cost of courtroom space and two cells at the Municipal Hall.

"With the city increasing our jail costs from $400 to $3,000, it might pay us to have our own jail," he said.

Council passed 1952 school estimates, Saanich share of District 61 total to be raised by assessment will be $368,029.84, and of District 63, $66,339.34.

Atom Weapon Cost Reported Very High

LONDON, March 4 (Reuters)—An article in Monday's London Daily Express states that by the time Britain's first atom bomb is tested in Australia it will have cost more than £100,000,000.

Life Development Professor's Tale

Guest speaker at the Victoria Centre of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada meeting March 12 will be Prof. J. A. Cunningham, former professor of zoology at Victoria College. He speaks at the college.

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Towel Bars
Baking Cups
Tin Cups
Medicine Chests
Wood Rasps
Screwdrivers
Mixing Bowls
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Canister Sets
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TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Mariners are warned that Sutil Point, Cortez Island, gas and bell buoy is reported not burning; also that Lulu Island, New Westminster Bridge, North Arm of the Fraser River, will be closed to shipping from 8 in the morning to 4.30, in the afternoon, March 14.

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George I. Warren will address the North Kiwanis Club at its dinner meeting in Monterey tonight at 6.15.

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Sisters of St. Ann at St. Joseph's Hospital invited the mayor and council today to attend the Solemn Blessing and opening of the new administration building March 19 at 2.30.

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At least one popular May 24 feature will be presented again this year.

Victoria Riding and Hunt Club has decided to go ahead with plans for its annual horse show and gymkhana at its "Callwood" enclosure on Cedar Hill Crossroad.

The show will be staged in the afternoon and will be an international event. Invitations to participate are to be sent to Seattle, Vancouver and up-island.

Previously it was announced by the Greater Victoria Celebrations Association that most Empire Day events would be canceled because of the death of King George VI.

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Only one plot of 77 remains to be sold by the city at Ross Bay Cemetery, W. P. Wright, assistant city clerk, said today.

The lots, first to go on sale for over a quarter of a century, were put on the market last spring.

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Mrs. J. Barnes, 419 Henry, told city police today someone had stolen $38 from a drawer in the dining-room of her home during the week-end.

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If Mayor Claude Harrison has his way, any citizen who has sent a written complaint or request will have an opportunity to appear before the City Council committee concerned.

The mayor said today he made the suggestion to the secretary of committee that persons be notified when the matter they are interested in comes up for discussion.

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A series of small storms heading for Vancouver Island will bring clouds and a few scattered showers to Victoria this evening, according to the weather forecast.

There will be variable cloudiness Wednesday, and a few more light showers Wednesday night. An easterly wind of 20 miles per hour will decrease overnight, and temperatures will range from 37 to 45 degrees.

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The C.C.F. wants the B.C. Milk Board to call a conference of Vancouver Island and Lower Mainland dairy industry representatives to discuss the contentious milk issue.

Arthur Turner (C.C.F., Vancouver East), has filed a notice of motion in the Legislature recommending the conference.

It is suggested that the conference make recommendations to the government "relative to production, processing and distribution of milk and its by-products and the future of the industry."

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Commander Harold V. W. Groos, commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Crusader, will succeed Capt. O. C. S. Robertson as naval member of the Canadian joint staff, London, it is reported.

A native of Victoria, Cmdr. Groos will hold captain's rank for the tenure of the appointment, which is usually three years.

Crusader is at present in dry-dock at Esquimalt for annual refit.

Then saith Jesus unto him, get thee hence, Satan; for it is written, thou shalt worship the Lord thy God and him only shalt thou serve.

Then the devil leaveth him, and behold, angels came and ministered unto him."—Matt. 4:10, 11.

Johnson Explains Safeguards Against U.S. Borrowing Losses

By GORDON FORBES
Times Legislative Reporter

Premier Byron Johnson, presenting his first provincial budget as finance minister, this afternoon defended the government's action in borrowing money on the American market.

He noted there are bound to be some persons who will question the wisdom of incurring a debt payable in a foreign currency; particularly when that currency may, from time to time, prove to be at a substantial premium.

"To this let me first answer that currency fluctuations cut both ways, and that it is equally possible for the Canadian dollar, from time to time, to be at a substantial premium," said Premier Johnson.

(As Premier Johnson was speaking, quotations in Montreal foreign exchange dealings showed the U.S. dollar at a discount of 1-32 of 1 per cent. This means one Canadian dollar is today worth $1.00 1-32 in American funds.)

CALL CLAUSE

He pointed out that "call clauses" provided for in the province's loans in New York would enable B.C., if other market conditions were favorable, to repatriate its obligations at any time after the expiration of the first ten years.

Referring to the latest $30,000,000 loan, he said these bonds and their interest are payable at the option of the holder in Canadian or United States dollars and are subject to call as a whole on or after Feb. 15, 1962, at varying but decreasing prices depending on term.

"If at any time during the life of the securities, market prices are in excess of par, then the province is protected by a call clause which will enable it to secure, subject to notice, the annual actuarial sum necessary at par," said the premier.

He said that there is "simply no comparison" between Canada's present ability to pay with that it had in the past.

The vast undeveloped industrial potentials in Canada, he said, are sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the probability of adverse differentials in the worth of Canadian currency is almost eliminated. It is more likely that Canada will find its currency in the future rated higher than that of other nations.

SHOWED PROFIT

The premier went on to give details of last year's $35,000,000 loan in New York. In this deal the province sold $9,000,000 worth of serial bonds and $26,000,000 25-year sinking fund bonds.

The net proceeds for these in terms of U.S. dollars amounted to $33,799,050, but on the conversion of this sum into Canadian dollars a profit of 5.47849 per cent was made, and $35,650,727 was deposited in the bank at Victoria, he explained. On a percentage basis the average cost to the province for the short-term was 2.16 per cent and for the long-terms, 3.42 per cent.

Dealing with this year's $30,000,000 loan in New York, Premier Johnson said net proceeds for them in terms of U.S. dollars amounted to $29,521,200, but on the conversion of this sum into Canadian dollars, $29,543,856 was deposited in Victoria. On the percentage basis, the average cost to the province for the short-term was 3.38 per cent and for the long-terms 3.73 per cent.

The premier pointed out that negotiations on the latest loan began in January, and between then and Feb. 13, when the contract with the underwriters was signed, the province was successful in securing substantially higher prices than originally deemed possible.

"The appreciation in price with respect to the short-term bonds amounted to $28,050 and that for the long-term was raised by $1.77 per 100 and yielded $398,250 more. The aggregate improvement price, therefore, yielded the province an additional $426,300," said the premier.

BUDGET SPENDING DETAIL AT GLANCE

In table form, here is where British Columbia's record $141,900,00 budget will be spent in the fiscal year, 1952-53:

	Anticipated Expenditure 1951-52 *	Main Estimates 1952-53	Increase or Decrease (—)
Public Debt	$ 17,833,710	$ 18,555,309	$ 721,599
Legislation	226,800	205,800	— 21,000
Premier's Office	34,861	34,506	— 355
Agriculture	999,020	1087,995	88,975
Attorney-General	5,229,205	5,452,767	223,562
Education	18,484,026	19,365,517	881,491
Finance	21,669,302	21,807,705	138,403
Fisheries	38,581	39,250	669
Health and Welfare	28,092,687	31,440,550	3,347,863
Labor	549,396	527,955	— 21,441
Lands and Forests	9,046,052	10,085,506	1,039,454
Mines	1,144,857	824,151	— 320,706
Municipal Affairs	130,496	142,330	11,834
Provincial Secretary	9,682,905	10,157,681	474,776
Public Utilities Act and Motor Carrier Act	313,017	342,417	29,400
Public Works	14,283,812	14,618,490	334,678
Railways	42,274	46,717	4,443
Trade and Industry	695,442	670,787	— 24,655
TOTAL	$128,496,443	$135,405,433	
Less: Possible savings	1,496,443		
	$127,000,000	$135,405,433	$ 8,405,433
Capital Expenditure out of Revenue		6,500,000	6,500,000
	$127,000,000	$141,905,433	$ 14,905,433

*Includes main estimates, supplementaries, special warrants, and additional known statutory charges incurred in the year.

B.C. Sinking Fund Claimed Never In Better Position

British Columbia's sinking fund investments which are set aside for repaying debts now total $47,258,897 and have a theoretical surplus."

"At no time in the history of the province have debt redemption funds been in such a favorable position," Premier Byron Johnson told the House this afternoon.

Huge shortages in the sinking funds piled up in the depression period have been wiped out in the current inflationary boom.

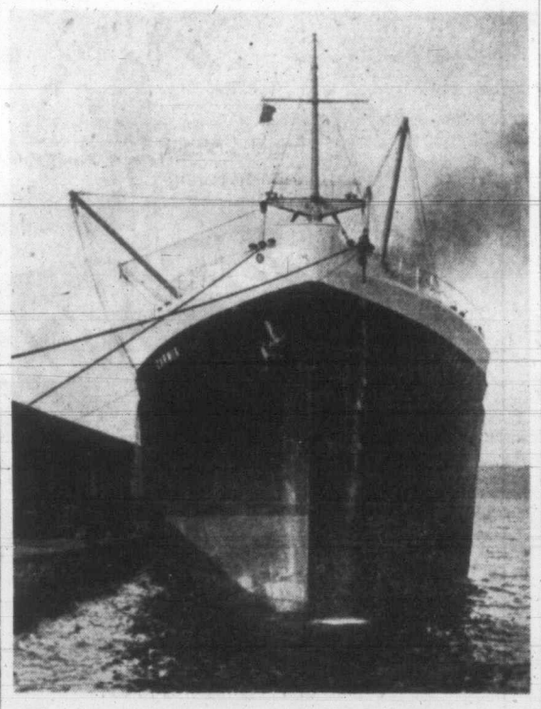
The value of the sinking fund condition to the province's credit is "incalculable," the premier stated.

"Apart altogether from the marketing features involved, we should bear in mind that B.C. is a fast growing and fast developing economic unit. Heavy capital borrowings in the future are inescapable. We have the means to pay our debts, and it would be a gross injustice on our part to burden succeeding generations with that share of capital obligations that rightly is ours," stated Premier Johnson.

The aggregate position of the sinking funds as at Feb. 14, 1952, was:

Par Value		% of Total
$28,952,600	in Dominion of Canada direct or guaranteed securities	60.79
$18,545,774	in province of B.C. direct or guaranteed securities	38.94
$ 6,343	in municipal bonds	.01
$ 121,250	in United Kingdom stock	.26
		100.00
$47,625,968	which valued, amounts to	$46,206,935
	Cash in bank amounted to $606,877	
	The value of accrued interest was $445,084	
		$ 1,051,962
		$47,258,897

Since December, 1950, there has been an increase of $10,999,074 in the fund.



CARMIA'S FREIGHT VARIED

Automobile And Whisky Mix Well As Ship Cargo

By MONTE ROBERTS
Times Marine Reporter

An easy lesson in U.K.-U.S. trade was unfolded at Ogden Point docks this morning as Empire Stevedoring gangs began to take off a small but varied general cargo from Ss. Carmia.

The Donaldson Line freighter, a regular visitor to Port of Victoria under command of Capt. E. C. Laidlaw, brought a little of everything, including the proverbial kitchen sink.

From the British Isles she carried whisky and tennis balls, automobiles and hardware, malt extract and biscuits, "strong" ale and grinding balls, window frames and electronic equipment, lawn mowers and fine bone china.

Her U.S. cargo, picked up in California ports where she left most of load from the U.K., included lithopone (for paint making), Redwood bark (for insulation), linoleum, rags, and canned and dried fruits.

Carmia sailed this afternoon for Vancouver, where discharge will be completed. She is a day late this trip, having encountered bad weather off the California coast.

Pedestrian's Charge Fails, Driver Freed

A motorist in city police court today won a "benefit of the doubt" decision on a charge laid against him by a woman pedestrian.

Magistrate H. C. Hall dismissed a charge of careless driving against Leslie Bing, 1140 Transit. Mrs. V. G. Hudson, 1217 Yukon, laid the information.

Mrs. Hudson claimed she had to pull a child out of the way to avoid being hit by a car driven by accused while they were in the crosswalk at Oak Bay Avenue and Morrison Street on the night of Feb. 14. She and another woman pedestrian in the safety zone estimated Bings speed at around 40 m.p.h.

Mr. and Mrs. Bing disputed this. He said his speed was about 22 m.p.h. Mrs. Bing classed it as moderate. Accused told the court cars coming in the opposite direction had obscured the people in the zone.

He testified he did not see anyone until 15 feet from the crosswalk. "I braked hard and stopped quickly."

Bing said he had stopped at the line of the zone.

Low-Cost Housing Interest Renewed

Renewed interest in low-cost housing projects is seen by Provincial Secretary W. T. Straith, he told the House Monday.

He said enquiries relating to housing developments for older persons with limited means were becoming more numerous.

The province, he explained, puts up one-third the cost of approved housing schemes, with a municipal organization guaranteeing one-third, and one-third being loaned by Central Mortgage and Housing.

Straith said 34 cottages built under this arrangement were now occupied and another 24 being readied for occupation.

"I fail to see why there should be a dearth of houses in any community when this arrangement can be made," he said.

INJURED CHILD MUCH IMPROVED

The little girl who hovered at death's door for days after being struck by a truck Feb. 29, will recover unless complications set in.

Darlene Corbett, golden-haired three-year-old, of 3230 Albion, was reported "much improved" in Jubilee Hospital today. She suffered a fractured skull and both legs broken.

MURDER CASE HEADS CITY ASSIZE LIST

Young Sailor To Stand Trial Here

The opening of the spring Criminal Assizes this month will fall on St. Patrick's Day, March 17.

Heading a list of eight criminal cases is that of Alexander Williams, 25, of Goulds, Newfoundland, charged with murdering a Chinese messboy aboard the Ss. Princess Joan on Jan. 14 while the ship was en route to Victoria from Vancouver.

Four persons will stand trial on charges of manslaughter arising out of automobile accidents. They are Carl Hugh Baillie, Frederick Sexton, Leslie Marlow and John Richard Lauder.

Charles H. Lumley will stand trial on a charge of retaining; Alyff Hulbert, breaking and entering, and James Rigby, breaking and entering.

Presiding judge will be Mr. Justice J. O. Wilson, of Vancouver. Joseph McKenna, Q.C., will act as crown prosecutor.

SIOUX TO DOCK AT 3 SATURDAY

H.M.C.S. Sioux, returning home from her second tour of duty in Korean waters, will dock at Dockyard jetty, Esquimalt, at 3, Saturday afternoon.

Relatives of officers and men will be permitted to greet the ship at Dockyard.

61-YEAR SHIFT

Time Tells On Time Toller At City Hall

By AILEEN CAMPBELL

The city hall clock has had time on its hands for 61 years.

Now its pendulum pulley shaft—worn to one-third the original thickness is "ready to drop."

The clock was stopped at 4.15 Friday and an overhaul of the internal mechanism and cables, ordered by City Building Inspector J. W. Oosterinck. It will take about 10 days.

The clock—a McKillican, made by Gillett & Co. of Croydon, England, in 1890—was installed by C. E. Redfern in 1891, 13 years after erection of the City Hall.

It has been keeping Victorians on time for jobs, appointments and dates ever since.

That's the whole trouble now. A good part of the downtown population doesn't know what time it is.

Luney Bros. Ltd. will bring down the 1,600-pound weights and the 500-pound pendulum. The "innards" will go to F. W. Francis Ltd., where Walter Bolton, head watchmaker, and George Lupu will go over them. The pulley shaft will be renewed.

Fatter Grants In Municipal Mail Pouches

British Columbia municipalities will receive an estimated $34,779,000 in direct and indirect grants from the government in 1952-53.

This amount is $7,000,000 more than the sum received in 1951-52, Premier Byron Johnson told the Legislature this afternoon.

"The very favorable financial treatment accorded to municipal governments by the province is often little realized," he stated.

From the Social Security and Municipal Aid Tax the municipalities will receive an estimated $10,350,000, compared to an estimated $8,540,000 in the current fiscal year.

The municipalities' share of motor-vehicle revenue will total an estimated $2,245,000 compared to an estimated $1,975,000 in the year ending March 31. The grant in 1941-42 was only $570,000.

Other direct grants to municipalities in the next fiscal year will be: school buildings $6,500,000; basic and supplementary grants $6,700,000; conveyance $500,00; teachers' pensions (employers' share) $900,000.

Premier Johnson noted that total direct and indirect provincial aid to municipalities 10 years ago was only $2,965,000 compared to next year's $34,779,000.

B.C. Hospital Insurance Ad Bill $153,582

The B.C. Hospital Insurance Service has spent $153,582 on publicity since its inception.

This information is contained in answers filed in the Legislature Tuesday by Health and Welfare Minister A. D. Turnbull in reply to questions asked by L. H. Eyres (P.C., Chilliwack).

The total in 1951 amounted to $47,119.

Of the total $153,582 spent, $119,955 was allocated to the press. Pamphlets cost $10,285; radio, $13,490; bus and street car ads $5,700, and posters and showcards $4,149.

Britannia branch of the Canadian Legion today asked the city for permission to hold the annual road races Good Friday.

Plan For Amateur Radio Emergency Link Finished

C.D. Officials Of Canada, U.S. Arrange For Temporary Scheme To Fill Time Gap

Plans for an emergency amateur radio link between Victoria and Olympia, Wash., were agreed on Monday at Seattle by civil defense officials from both sides of the border.

Brig. G. A. McCarter, deputy civil defense co-ordinator for B.C., said the arrangement would be a temporary expedient until more permanent communications plans could be worked out between the two centres in case of an emergency.

Brig. McCarter, who sat as Canadian representative on the emergency communications subcommittee, added that an international operational plan on the technical aspects of cross-border civil defense communications will be studied more thoroughly at a two-day conference here March 14 and 15 of officials from the U.S. and Canada.

They will study the communications network between here and Washington State civil defense headquarters to consider the use of alternate routes in case an emergency knocked out existing facilities.

DEATH DRIVER STILL GAINING ALONG PROVINCIAL HIGHWAYS

Death rode British Columbia's highways last year with ever-increasing recklessness.

The Motor Vehicle Branch announced today that 208 persons died in automobile accidents during 1951, compared to 175 in 1950.

Injuries also increased—from 5,720 in 1950 to 6,624 in 1951.

Property damage jumped 36 per cent—from $4,266,784 in 1950 to $5,784,077.

The number of accidents last year was up 13 per cent from 18,029 to 20,382, fatal accidents from 156 to 186, an increase of 19 per cent.

10-Day Supply Of City Meat, Prices Normal

B.C. Cattle Producers To Hold Price Line Against Packing House Stock Exhaustion

Victoria will have meat for the next week or 10 days at least, according to a survey of wholesale and retail outlets here.

Present wholesale prices of beef is 58 cents—normal for this time of year.

When stocks are gone and supplies from B.C.'s interior reach the market, cattlemen will make every effort to hold their price to packing houses to a maximum of 30 cents per pound.

"The market price when the embargo went on was 28 and 29 cents per pound," said T. P. Wilson, president of the B.C. Beef Cattle Growers' Association. "We are prepared to 'hold the line' ourselves until the foot-and-mouth disease emergency is over."

He said his members wanted the embargo retained, and will voluntarily keep prices down to protect the consumer. B.C. can provide beef for a month, he said, and in June the normal flow of beef from the Cariboo will start.

"If everyone will co-operate we will get through safely," he said.

The cattlemen, however, were disappointed Monday with the response of Vancouver packing houses to their plan to hold prices down to a maximum of 30 cents per pound.

"In order to show our appreciation of the government embargo, and to keep faith with consumers, we approached packing houses regarding the voluntary price ceiling on beef," Wilson said.

Packers reported to him, however, that half were in favor of the plan, and half were not.

"This is especially disappointing when a survey shows there are adequate beef supplies within the province to take care of consumer requirements for three or four weeks."

Normally, he said, imports are made from January to May, and from July to December practically all beef sold in B.C. is raised in the province.

Victoria Supply Outlook

This, briefly, is the situation in Victoria:

Fresh pork is practically a thing of the past, but smoked meats, such as ham and bacon, will be available for a short time.

Lamb is virtually finished.

With the increased demand for beef through loss of pork and lamb, beef supplies are expected to last from a week to 10 days.

By that time some poorer grades of beef from the B.C. interior are expected on the market.

"There is no use worrying about the situation," one packinghouse manager said. "We have enough meat for this week, and next week might take care of itself."

Retail sales have gone up a little, it was reported," but to date there has been no definite wave of public buying.

Prices are practically unchanged, despite the expected shortage. Wholesale price of beef is 58 cents, and retail pork prices have climbed about three cents.

One member of the trade suggested the B.C. ban will be lifted shortly.

"With Ottawa putting on the pressure on one side, and packinghouse unions fighting layoffs on the other, I'm afraid the government will find its present position intolerable," he said.

"I do not want to see it lifted," he said. "Foot-and-mouth disease is too treacherous to play with, and I'm content to lose a dollar or two now if it will protect the future of the industry."

Concrete Totems Plan Is Shelved

The government has shelved a suggestion that concrete replicas of native totem poles be erected throughout the province.

Education Minister W. T. Straith told the Legislature Monday that because present totems were deteriorating and no new ones being made, a scheme had been studied whereby casts would be made of existing poles and concrete models made.

Later, Straith said, it was learned cedar totems can be given treatment which will help preserve them indefinitely.

At the tender age of 44, Harold Winch, C.C.F. leader, became a grandfather this morning—and C.C.F. veteran, E. E. Winch, a great-grandfather.

Winch was expected to take great credit for the feat during today's sittings of the House. Meanwhile, his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Donald Winch, rested quietly with her new baby daughter in New Westminster.

CONSTRUCTION WORKERS ASK 75-CENT WAGE BOOST

Local construction laborers have decided to follow the lead of carpenters here and ask for a 75-cents-an-hour pay increase.

The laborers' union, representing about 300 workmen, has put the new demand before the bargaining committee of Victoria Building Industries Exchange. The exchange offered a 16½-cent-an-hour increase, which was rejected.

Further negotiation will be held to discuss the question further, following which, aid of a conciliation officer will be sought.

Present basic rate of pay for laborers is $1.30 an hour.

B.C. Carpenters Urging Province-Wide Rates

Vancouver Island contractors will be asked by the B.C. Council of Carpenters to let one conciliation board determine a new hourly rate of pay for all carpenters in the province.

The suggestion follows a week-end meeting at Courtenay, where union and Up-Island contractors' representatives held a bargaining session.

Upper Island, Lower Island and mainland carpenters all are seeking a $2.50 an hour scale, although they bargain with different employer agencies. As it appears full-scale conciliation proceedings will be resorted to in all cases, the suggestion is that one board could bring down one decision covering all.

It is thought likely Victoria contractors will not agree to the proposal.

One builder contended the situation in Victoria was different from the situation Up-Island and in Vancouver since the going rate here is $1.75 an hour, while elsewhere it is $2.

Pr. Robert House To Be Discussed

Anyone with ideas on the future of Prince Robert House will have a chance to voice them.

Mayor Claude Harrison said today he had called a meeting of city council's executive meeting for next Tuesday at 2

Persons who have made proposals ranging from a service centre to a recreation and rest centre for senior citizens will be invited to attend and give their views on the building and site.

"Prince Robert House is a fine location for many purposes," said the mayor. "It's just a question of how it can be handled"

Ottawa Again Under Fire From Union

Vancouver Island carpenters are protesting to Ottawa the employment of non-union men to do carpentry work at the R.C.A.F. station at Tofino, on Vancouver Island's west coast.

The Vancouver Island council of carpenters has written the federal labor department, complaining that workmen at Tofino are not union men, and are working 60 hours a week.

Investigators of the carpenters' union say the men are receiving the standard $2 an hour rate for ordinary shift work but are working as much as 60 hours a week, with time and one-half for work over 48 hours.

Union carpenters, they say, work only 40 hours a week straight time and then receive double time for overtime.

The carpenters contend the air force should have hired workers through the unemployment commission office in Alberni. At present, they say, there are 100 union carpenters out of work in that centre.

Recently, the carpenters complained about a similar situation at the air force camp at Comox. After the protest, union carpenters were hired and a five-day week was introduced.

SHOPPING GUIDE

A Magic Magnetic Latch Keeps Cupboard Door Shut

By PENNY SAVER

Look ma! It's magic!

I pulled the cupboard door open a little way, let go, and boom! It shut again and didn't have to be latched.

The answer?

Why, it's magnetic. You attach the two pieces to the cupboard door as you would any other kind, but instead of snapping shut, it is held together by little magnetic bars.

No more banging, or pushing and pulling to get the doors open or shut.

This magnetic cupboard door latch fits all cabinets and cupboards and is easy to operate and install. Price for this is 79 cents.

One Ounce To 10 Gallons

Say, how about this? A fluid to help clean carbon out of oil. A four-ounce tin is 35 cents and will really condition your fuel oil.

The man who is selling it assured me that it contains no acid or harmful ingredients and that the four-ounce tin is equal to 45 gallons of fuel oil, or one ounce to 10 gallons.

It is said to give cleaner, brighter and hotter fires and eliminate oil odors. The fluid will also keep system water-free and dissolve gums. It also eliminates cleaning of oil burning system.

Sounds good, doesn't it?

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Now here's a good buy if I ever heard of one.

You can now buy little cellophane packages of wood screws for only 5 cents. They come in all the various sizes and can also be used on plastic.

I think this is a wonderful idea. Very often you only need a few to finish up a job. This way you can pick them up for only a few cents and all neatly packaged in cellophane in the bargain.

An assorted package sells for a dime.

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Exercise Used To Correct Sway-Back; Help The Legs

Enough cannot be written about that most prevalent feminine figure fault—sway-back, or hollow lower back. This ruins an otherwise beautiful silhouette and places strains on muscles and ligaments which cause fatigue.

Consistent exercise and a real effort to remember during daytime activities to pull the hips under and keep the knees relaxed will improve the situation. Naturally you do not keep the knees bent, but tenseness and tension at the knees when walking will throw the pelvis out of balance.

The following exercise is splendid for sway-back and is also recommended for varicose veins. It is not at all strenuous so that anyone who can take mild exercise can do this.

Lie on the floor with your hips against the wall, your knees bent and your feet resting on the wall close to your hips. Straighten the left leg and let it rest against the wall. Return to starting position. Straighten the right leg and let it rest against the wall. Return to position. Continue, alternating left and right. When doing this exercise keep the small of the back pressed against the floor.

One aid for those who have varicose veins is to rest whenever possible with the legs higher than the hips and head. The motions I have just described accomplish this with added mild exercise. This exercise is called wall bicycle. It drains the veins and is also corrective to sway-back and therefore serves a double purpose.

Standing on the feet a great deal each day and clothing which is too restricting and tight may predispose one to varicose veins.

Another exercise for sway-back is the cat exercise. Kneel on both knees with your hands on the floor directly underneath your shoulders. Push the back up like a cat does when it is angry. Now lower the back but do not let it slump downward, only to the horizontal position. Continue, slowly.

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P.T.A. Notes

Mount View — Meeting of Mount View P.-T.A. will be held tonight at 8 in the school library. Second of a series on the topic "The High School Curriculum and Its Objectives" will take place with K. R. Brown, the speaker and his subject, "The Mathematics Course — Content and Objectives."

Frank Hobbs — In conjunction with Education Week, H. O'Donnell, principal of Frank Hobbs School, will speak at meeting of their P.-T.A. Wednesday at 8, in school auditorium. A social will follow. It has been decided to hold a St. Patrick's Day tea in the auditorium, March 17.

For a party dessert serve hard balls of ice cream with a canned red cherry and almond sauce. Make the sauce with 2/3 cup cherry syrup, 1/3 cup sugar and 1½ tablespoons cornstarch. Cook until clear and thickened, and stir in pitted cherries and roasted blanched almond halves. Serve warm or cold.

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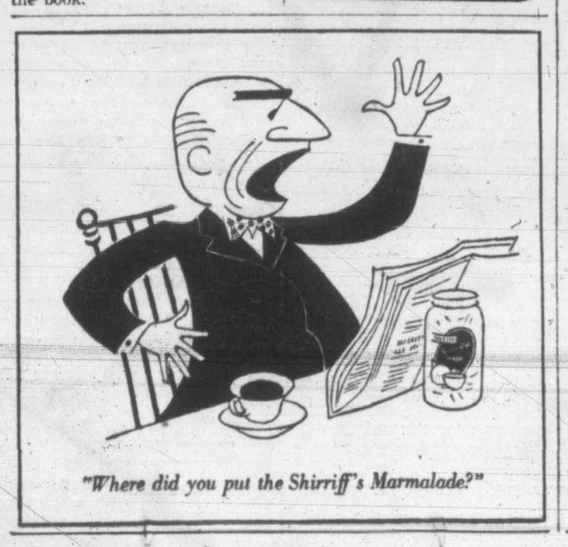

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Junior Hospital Auxiliary Donated $7,000 For Purchase Of Equipment

Mrs. Ronald Newell, retiring president of Junior Auxiliary to Royal Jubilee Hospital, presented George Masters, hospital administrator with a cheque for $7,000 at the annual meeting of the auxiliary held yesterday afternoon in the nurses' home.

This cheque is to be used for the purchase of two operating tables at $1,600 each; a new X-ray table including spot film device, new rotating anode tube and cables, at a cost of $3,788.

Those who were elected to work with the president, Mrs. Webster, were Mrs. Len Acres, first vice-president; Mrs. T. W. Walker, second; Mrs. Glen Simpson, secretary; Mrs. J. T. Cruise, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. W. King, treasurer; Mrs. D. Campbell, membership; Mrs. W. B. Dillabough, publicity; Mrs. L. Aylard, Thrift Shop convener, and Mrs. R. S. Evans, treasurer; Mrs. L. W. Campbell, knitting and show case; Mrs. W. Fletcher, home visiting; Mrs. J. S. McKinnon, hospital visiting; Mrs. A. H. Cox, training school; Miss Barbara Bullock-Webster, medical welfare; Mrs. C. J. Harrington, Mobile Shop, and Mrs. R. S. O'Meara, treasurer; Mrs. L. F. Detwiller, telephone; Mrs. P. Fleming, tea, and Mrs. J. R. Nicolson, financial advisory committee.

Mrs. Harold Webster has been elected new president.

YEAR'S WORK

In her secretarial report Mrs. Glen Simpson stated that $2,000 was spent to refurnish a doctor's consulting room and a patient's reception in the hospital and installing two kitchens in the nurses' home. Also in the nurses' home, the library and a small reception room were completely redecorated and refurnished.

Annual $350 bursary was awarded to Miss Mary Atkinson and initialed gold cuff links were presented to the 53 nurses in the graduating class.

Miss Hattie R. Staghall, director of social service department, acknowledged monthly grants from auxiliary in addition to financial and other assistance for families and individuals requiring aid. She pointed out that the primary endeavor has been to extend and strengthen the essential function of the department in the hospital; to assist the patient socially and psychologically in making the best possible use of treatment facilities, and the best possible social and emotional adjustment to his particular life situation.

It was reported that the Observation Ward was given a croquet set, the Men's Medical Ward an electric razor and several pairs of bedroom slippers and the T.B. Pavilion received a $25 donation toward a television set.

Treasurer Mrs. C. W. King stated total receipts were $8,389.45, and total disbursements $3,496.74, with a bank balance at the beginning of the year of $11,221.27.

Funds were realized through the Thrift Shop, $4,500; Mobile Shop, $700; showcase, $131.34; dolls bazaar, $2,098.77; decorated table display, $513.63; dance, $203.81, and fishpond, $30.

THRIFT SHOP

In 1950 the Thrift Shop, 614 Cormorant Street, established a record and this year exceeded it by $1,000. Mrs. C. E. Brown was convener and Mrs. Gordon Abernethy, treasurer.

Reports were also given by Mrs. F. G. Aldous, hospital visiting; Mrs. T. W. Walker, home visiting; Mrs. J. R. Nicolson reported for Miss Barbara Bullock-Webster on medical social welfare; Mrs. A. Hedley, membership; Mrs. A. H. Cox, publicity; Mrs. W. C. Mearns, training school; Mrs. Len Acres, chairman of financial advisory board; Mrs. R. S. O'Meara, Mobile Shop convener, and Mrs. T. A. Brown, treasurer, and Mrs. Walter Fletcher, knitting and showcase.

Mr. Masters, Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson and R. A. Wootton addressed the meeting.

In her presidential report Mrs. Newell stated that she felt personal giving had stimulated the success of the past year's activities and had created an awareness of hospital problems. Mrs. W. R. Parker presented her with a corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Leslie Aylard and Mrs. R. S. O'Meara, past presidents, presided at the tea table following the meeting.

TODAY'S RECIPE

RICE AND FISH DINNER

One and one-half pounds haddock (or other white fish), 1½ cups water, 1 teaspoon vinegar, 3 cups fish cream sauce, 3 cups hot cooked rice, 8 medium carrots, sliced and cooked; 1 pound green beans, cooked. For sauce: 6 tablespoons butter or margarine, 6 tablespoons flour, ¾ teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 3 cups liquid (1½ cups fish stock, 1½ cups milk).

Put in 1 cup of uncooked rice, 2 cups of cold water and 1 teaspoon salt in a 2-quart saucepan and cover with a tight-fitting lid. Bring to a vigorous boil and then turn the heat as low as possible—leave over this low heat for 14 minutes. Turn off the heat. This cooking time results in firm grains of cooked rice. For extra tender grains, allow the rice to steam—with heat off—for an additional 5 minutes before removing the lid.

Never remove the lid nor stir rice while it is cooking. After rice is cooked, remove the lid, lift rice gently with fork to allow rice to steam dry to the desired consistency. It is then ready—perfectly cooked — with all the grains separate and fluffy. This method allows all the water to be absorbed and the full nutritional value of the rice to be retained.

Place haddock in boiling water to which vinegar has been added. Cover and allow to simmer until fish flakes easily. (About 30 minutes if frozen.) Drain and save stock. Remove any bones or skin. Flake into small pieces. Add the fish to the white sauce.

CREAM SAUCE: Over a low heat, melt butter, stir in flour and blend thoroughly. Allow to cook four or five minutes, stirring constantly to prevent browning. Add salt and pepper. Gradually add liquid. Continue stirring and cook until mixture thickens and bubbles.

To serve: Thoroughly heat the fish and white sauce over hot water. Form a mound or border of hot rice on a large platter. Pour creamed fish in the centre of the rice. Alternate spoonfuls of carrots and green beans around the rice. If desired, garnish with parsley and sprinkle paprika over the creamed fish. This recipe makes eight servings.

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Sewing Machine, Grand Piano For Hospital

Members of the Women's Auxiliary to Veterans' Hospital will purchase a sewing machine to be used at the hospital by the members and by sewing committees of other organizations, it was decided at a ecent metting.

Purchasing convener Mrs. G. D. Edwards also reported that pictures had been purchased for the internes' quarters and that the grand piano donated to the auxiliary by H.M.C.S. Naden was being completely overhauled and would be placed in the new wing at the hospital.

Mrs. R. D. Harvey presided; two new members, Mrs. W. Alsdorf and Miss L. M. Sylvester, were welcomed, also Mrs. Duffield, a visitor from Fort William, Ont.

Mrs. Aubrey Kent reported part of a recent collection of cards had been sent to the children at the Solarium; dogwood pin convener said $36 had been realized from sale of dogwood pins.

Final game of the bridge tournament sponsored by the winter home activities committee of the C.C.F. was held in Woodsworth Hall, Pandora Avenue, concluding the first season of play. Mrs. A. Crow was convener of the series of games. Mrs. May Campbell, tournament secretary, presented prizes for the season as follows: Art Bookman, first; J. Irwin, second, and Mrs. Nugent, third. Consolation prizes were presented to Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. A. Crow and Mrs. F. Smith. Evening's winners were Mrs. L. Carmichael and Mrs. J. Welsh Sr., top score, and Mrs. V. Rayment and Mrs. Nugent, consolation.

Melba Dash—Alex Spoor Wed In Centennial Church

Rev. W. R. Ashford officiated at the wedding ceremony in Centennial United Church that united Melba Louise Dash and Alec Spoor in marriage.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dash, Dunedin Street, and the groom is the son of Mr. J. Spoor, Richmond Road, and late Mrs. Spoor, Friesland, Holland.

Mrs. R. King played organ music as the bride walked up the aisle on the arm of her father.

A sweetheart neckline highlighted the bridal gown of white lace over satin. The bodice was accented with lace-covered buttons in the front and extended to a slight bustle at the back. The bride's floor-length veil was held in a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of red roses with white carnations and maidenhair fern.

Miss Verna Pettigrew, her only attendant, was gowned in a turquoise satin gown topped with a net bolero. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and maidenhair fern.

Keith Spoor, brother of the groom, was best man.

A three-tier cake topped with a miniature bride and groom centred the bride's table at the reception in Hampton Hall. Daffodils, tulips and pussy willow with lighted candles, also decorated the table. F. Goodman proposed the toast.

As a going-away ensemble for her honeymoon Up-Island the bride wore a plum-toned suit topped with a winter-white shortie coat with contrasting black accessories. Her corsage was white carnations.

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Annual Spring Opening

Ladies' committee of Royal Colwood Golf Club have arranged to hold their annual spring opening Thursday in the club house. A luncheon will be held at noon at which Miss Mildred Mahoney, captain, will preside. Spring flowers will decorate the table and colorful favors will mark individual placings.

Honored guests will be Mrs. H. F. Crowe, Mrs. R. L. Pocock, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Miss K. Agnew, honorary members; Mrs. A. Dowell, Mrs. W. Erickson and Miss Ruth Jones, executive members of Vancouver Island division of Canadian Ladies' Golf Union.

A two-ball foursome competition will be played in the afternoon and bridge is planned for non-golfers.

Feted Prior To Wedding Day

Mrs. A. Stoddart entertained recently at her Elford Street home in honor of Miss Genevieve Miller who is leaving Victoria on Thursday for Winnipeg, where she will be married to Mr. Cyril Holding, formerly of this city. Guests were Mrs. E. Miller, Mrs. B. Vaio, Mrs. G. Copp, Mrs. R. Keir, Mrs. R. Head, Misses Betty Garnett, Irene Wilson and June Taylor.

Miss Miller was further honored when Mrs. R. Head entertained at the tea hour last Sunday at her home on Vincent Avenue. Other guests were Mrs. A. Stoddard, Mrs. R. Keir, Mrs. G. Copp and the Misses June Taylor, Irene Wilson and Betty Garnett.

Brother And Sister Feted

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Keyworth, 2405 Quadra Street, entertained recently at a dinner party on the occasion of the 21st birthday of their daughter, Gail, and to honor their son, Alan, who is leaving shortly to join the staff of Radio Station CKWX, Vancouver.

Tea At Cordova Bay

Mrs. Eric McWean who, with Mr. McWean, is leaving the district shortly to take up residence in "Lyn-Manor," Coronation Avenue, Victoria, was guest of honor, when Mrs. F. Pottage, "The Pools," Cordova Bay Road, entertained at tea Saturday afternoon. Among those present were, Mrs. J. Lester, Mrs. R. J. Gould, Mrs. H. J. S. Reynolds, Mrs. J. Wilmot, Mrs. F. Wilmot, Mrs. J. Wyper, Mrs. E. Spencer, Mrs. A. Pottage, Mrs. H. Groom, Mrs. E. Hayden, Mrs. K. M. Lewis, Mrs. Noel Thomas, Miss F. O. Lewis and Mrs. J. Kidson.

Miss Laidlaw Is Feted

Miss Marjorie Laidlaw, whose marriage to Mr. Bob Rice takes place shortly, was honored recently at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Bert Saunders, Blenkinsop Road. The many gifts were concealed in a wishing well and presented by the little Misses Lynn Watson and Lynne Saunders. Corsages were presented to Miss Laidlaw and her future mother-in-law, Mrs. C. M. Rice. Games were enjoyed and a collection of favorite recipes of her friends were presented to the bride-elect.

Invited guests were Mrs. N. J. Edmonds, Mrs. J. A. Carter, Mrs. J. W. B. Watson, Mrs. J. Forbes, Mrs. G. E. Burrell, Mrs. Frank Taafe, Mrs. A. Delaney, Mrs. G. Gunniss, Mrs. L. Derman, Mrs. A. E. Sherwin, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Carter, Mrs. J. R. Saunders, and Mrs. A. E. Cole of Duncan, V.I.

Miss Laidlaw was also honored when her sister, Mrs. J. Edmonds, entertained recently at a cup and saucer shower. Gifts were presented in a wishing well. Corsage of blue iris for honor guest and yellow freesias for two mothers, Mrs. J. A. Laidlaw and Mrs. C. M. Rice. Invited guests were Mrs. J. Forbes, Mrs. J. Pickford, Mrs. A. Ploss, Mrs. A. Edmonds, Misses June Hughes and Joan Pattinson.

For Retiring Director

Complimenting Mr. R. L. Bialuski, for the past three years executive director of the Welfare Council who has been appointed to similar office in Vancouver, the Greater Victoria branch of the Canadian Citizenship Council held a tea at the Empress Hotel, last Saturday.

Mrs. H. L. Smith, chairman, received the guests, and after tea gave a brief message of good wishes in which she expressed appreciation of the consistently co-operative and helpful attitude always shown by Mr. Bialuski to the work of the committee.

Miss Christine Gardiner presided at the tea-table, and others present were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest L. Shaw, Cmdr. and Mrs. A. J. Tullis, Mrs. B. Glover, Miss Ellen Hart, Mrs. H. J. Sceats, Miss Ilace Terry, Dr. Edith Lucas, Miss E. Bruce, Miss Jo Wilson, Mrs. P. L. Bissley, Miss Lottie Bowron, Mrs. E. E. Livesey, Mr. H. C. Beal, Mr. Mohan Singh, Mr. F. B. Schumaker and Mr. Peter Wong.

Reception Follows Concert

Following the symphony concert at the Royal Theatre yesterday evening, a reception was held at the Beach Drive home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Howard, to honor the soloists, Catherine Wendol, Margaret Miles, Wesley Ewart and Sten Englund. Hostesses were members of the women's committee of the Symphony Society.

Invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. Graham Steed, Dr. and Mrs. R. Felton, Mr. and Mrs. S. White, Mr. and Mrs. Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. L. Harmsworth, Miss F. Keifer, Mrs. Edith Ellis, Mrs. Hazel Sherratt, Mrs. A. Heller, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ingram Smith, all members of the Choral Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mearns, represented the sponsors of the concert.

Members of the executive of the Symphony Society included Mr. Hans Gruber, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. K. English, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stenner, Mr. and Mrs. John Wade, Mrs. Elza Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McKean, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alan Baker, Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Roxburgh, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holloway. Other guests were Miss Sara Spencer, Miss Kathleen Agnew, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. McElmoyle, Dr. and Mrs. H. Wride, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gilmour, Miss Sarah Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Keate, Mrs. Audrey StD. Johnson, Miss Elizabeth Forbes, Mr. Edwin Goodall, Mr. Roy Denny, Mr. Gordon Abernethy and Harry Gilliland.

Presiding at the refreshment table were Mrs. Gordon Abernethy and Mrs. Harry Gilliland.

Miss Lottie Kaiser, Miss Joey Wilson, Mrs. Harry Sparks, Mrs. Edwin Goodall, Mrs. Roy Denny and Miss Marianne Fraser assisted as serviteurs.

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Mrs. William Gould has come from Council, Ida., to attend the wedding of her son, Mr. William D. S. Murray, to Miss Ailsa Campbell, next Saturday evening at 8, in St. Andrews Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Gould is staying at the Dominion Hotel.

First Visit To Sunny Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wells, 3023 Beach Drive, Victoria, and their daughter, Mrs. D. M. Elson, Wilkie, Sask., pictured on the beach at Waikiki, are enjoying their first visit to Honolulu. Mr. Wells is head of a large construction firm which bears his name with head offices at Edmonton and Saskatoon. (Canadian Pacific Air Lines photo.)

An Irish Governess Fought In 1790 For Women's Rights

Tinkling notes of a music-box set the mood yesterday evening for opening of "The Challenge," a historical pageant depicting scenes in the struggle to obtain woman suffrage, presented by Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, in their headquarters, 902 Government Street.

The pageant, in a series of fast-moving scenes, starts in 1790 with the dismissal of Mary Woolstonecraft, children's governess in the home of Irish nobility, and later to be one of the first to fight for the vindication of the rights of women.

It moved through the days of Emmeline Pankhurst, showed the beginnings of the fight in Ontario, the oral voting done by women in Quebec in 1809, the production of a suffrage newspaper, The Champion, in Victoria, and the fight made by Judge Emily Murphy and four other Canadian women to have women declared persons.

Thread of the story was woven through a narrator, in the person of Mrs. Stella Gummow, who took the role of a mother trying to convince her daughter, Miss Frances Paterson, that the younger generation should take more interest in the franchise.

Mrs. Charles Smith, the author, also directed the pageant. Others taking parts were Mrs. Eileen Fitze, Mrs. Ada Sharman, Mrs. Beatrice Murgatroyd, Mrs. Louise Seymour, Mrs. Claire Lord, Mrs. Mary Webb, Mrs. Elsie Shepherd, Mrs. Marguerite Laughlin, Mrs. Mabel Curry, Misses Jean Thompson, Verna Beek, Dorothy Creighton, Marjorie Press, Bernice Harvey and Joan Peterkin.

Miss Isabel Cummings of Ottawa, plays the part of herself in a scene in which a plaque is placed in the Senate Chamber at Ottawa to commemorate the work of Judge Murphy and her four colleagues.

"The Challenge" is being repeated tonight at 8.15. The public may attend.

Miss Isabel Cummings, of Ottawa, who has been wintering on the Pacific Coast, came down from Parksville yesterday to take part in "The Challenge," a pageant on woman suffrage, presented last night and again tonight by Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club. Miss Cummings, who is staying at the Empress Hotel, will cross to Vancouver late tonight, and from there will travel to Sacramento, Calif., next Friday, for a short visit.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Miss Ailsa Campbell and her fiance, Mr. William Murray, were honored last Saturday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Wright entertained at their home on Maddock Avenue.

Mrs. Hunter Gordon, Union Avenue, and her two sisters, Mrs. Avis Cels, Victoria, and Mrs. Sidney Ronald, Winnipeg, left this morning for Palm Springs, Calif., for a month's holiday. Mrs. Ronald will return to this city with her sisters and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Gordon before returning to her home.

A shower was held recently for Miss Peggy Gillies, at the home of Miss Doreen Cartwright, Cumberland Road. Gifts were presented to the honor guest in a decorated basket. Invited guests were Mrs. P. Esply and Mrs. A. R. Birkett, mothers of the bride and groom-elect; Mesdames G. DeWolf, E Robinson, M. Wood, E. Taylor, E. Hammond, R. Roberts, L. Nixon, J. Cartwright, J. Michaud, A. Jones, Misses H. Elliott, Willa Reid, Teresa Webb, Heather McGillvary, Edith Rodstrom, Jill Bonnell, Edith Robbins, Glenda Shephard, Elizabeth Gaskell, Pam Scratchley, Helen Turner, Jean McCormick and Mary Wiebe.

Mr and Mrs. James Forrest were honored last Saturday at a surprise party to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary, given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan. They were presented with a torchiere lamp from the invited guests, who were Mr. and Mrs. Doug DeRoche, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Gale, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Vidal, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wilmot, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pontious, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dixon, Dr. and Mrs. W. McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruffle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cains, Mr. Laurie Wilson, Mr. Ron McCauley, Miss Madge Pendray, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Forrest, Mr. Harold Forrest and Miss Merle Forrest.

Traditional Bridal Satin Worn By Shirley Boden

A gown of traditional white satin was worn by Shirley Doreen Boden when she exchanged vows with Glen Charles Bath at a ceremony in St. John's Anglican Church. Canon George Biddle officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Boden, Princess Avenue, and late Mr. Boden, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bath, Pembroke Street.

C. Birss gave his granddaughter in marriage and Norman Thortsen sang "The Lord's Prayer" during the signing of the register.

Her satin gown was styled with sweetheart neckline and tight sleeves buttoned to the elbow. She complemented her gown with rhinestone earrings and necklace and a bouquet of red roses and white carnations. Her finger-tip veil of white nylon net misted from a headdress of velvet leaves.

Matron of honor, Mrs. Clifford Michael, wore a gown of pink taffeta.

Lillian Noble, bridesmaid, chose a gown of green taffeta, and little flower girl Linda Lewis was in yellow taffeta. They all carried bouquets of spring flowers.

At the reception in Newstead Hall, a three-tier cake centred the lace-covered table which was decorated with white candles and pink carnations. Daffodils and other spring flowers decorated the hall. E. Wells, the bride's uncle, proposed the toast.

For traveling to the mainland, the bride wore a burgundy suit with blue topcoat, navy accessories and an orchid corsage.

Miss Joan Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Graham, 1175 Palmer Road, was recently crowned Queen of Hearts at the annual Queen of Hearts ball, held at the Flame Supper Club, Vancouver, by Beta Sigma Phi sorority chapters of Vancouver and the North Shore. Candidates from 13 lodges were present.

CLUB CALENDAR

Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., Thursday at headquarters at 2.15. . . . Victoria Ex-Service Women's Branch, No. 182, B.E.S.L., general meeting, Britannia Branch Hall, Thursday at 8.

St. Matthew's Guild, Langford, Wednesday at 2.30, home of Mrs. W. Sims, 90 Millstream Road. . . . New Imperial Social Club, Newstead Hall, 734 Fort Street, at 8, on Wednesday. Social evening to follow meeting.

Catholic Women's League, Victoria subdivision, tonight at 8, parish hall . . . Central Union, W.C.T.U., Thursday at 2.30 at Y.W.C.A.

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½ cup Jewel Shortening	3 tsps. baking powder
1½ cups sugar	1 cup milk
1 tsp. salt	1 cup finely-chopped apricots
1 tsp. vanilla	¼ cup finely-chopped nuts
3 cups sifted cake flour	3 egg whites

Cream Jewel Shortening. Add sugar, salt, vanilla. Cream till fluffy. Sift together flour, baking powder. Add alternately with milk. Add nuts, apricots, steamed if needed. Fold in egg whites, beaten stiff but not dry. Blend lightly. Line bottom of 8" angel cake pan with brown paper, flour. Rub tube with Jewel. Bake at 325°F., one hour. Cool.

FILLING

1 cup finely-chopped apricots	½ cup sugar
2 cups water	1 tbsp. corn starch
	1 tbsp. lemon juice

Cook everything in double boiler till soft enough to spread.

FROSTING

2 egg whites	¼ tsp. cream of tartar
1½ cups sugar	¼ tsp. salt
⅓ cup strong coffee	1 tsp. rum extract

Mix everything except extract in double boiler. Place over boiling water. Beat thoroughly about 5 minutes. Remove from heat, stir well. Add extract. Beat one extra minute, till frosting stands in peaks.

DECORATION: Save ¼ cup filling to tint the swirls of frosting. Make three apricot flowers with scissors—cut apricots to the centre, petal-fashion. Use green cherry pieces for flower centres.

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AROUND HOME

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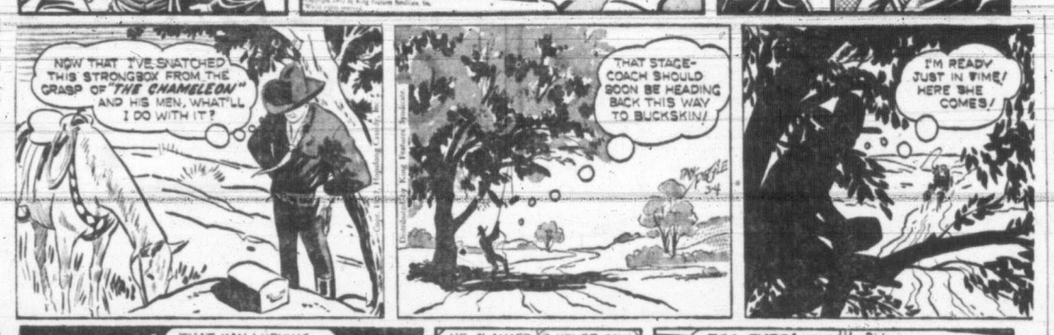

KERRY DRAKE

CHRIS WELKIN

ALLY OOP

KING AROO

BOARDING HOUSE

OUT OUR WAY

MARK TRAIL

BUZ SAWYER

ORPHAN ANNIE

BEDTIME STORY

by Thornton W. Burgess

Peter Rabbit was running for his life. Peter had run for his life more times than he could remember, but never in greater fright than he was running now. Hooty the Owl was almost over him. When Peter dodged Hooty turned almost as quickly. The worst of it was Peter didn't know where to go. He didn't know where to find safety.

Peter had dodged and dodged. You know he is a famous dodger. But this time he hadn't been able to dodge out of trouble. He was getting tired; he was getting out of breath. He couldn't dodge as quickly as he had at first. He must find it soon, and he knew it. The trouble was he didn't know where to look for such a place. He didn't know of a hollow log he could crawl into. He didn't know of a hole in the ground he could dive into. He didn't know of a pile of brush, or a bramble-tangle where he could find safety. All he could do was to run and dodge and hope that he would find a place where the hungry great Owl with the fierce yellow eyes and the wicked hooked claws could not follow.

Peter was almost in despair. "I can't run much longer," he thought. "No sir, I can't run much longer."

It was then that he caught a glimpse of a hole under a big rock off at one side. His heart gave a great leap. He dodged in order to head in the direction of that hole. Then how he did run. His funny little white tail bobbed up and down, up and down. With a long last jump, he dived head-long into that hole. Peter didn't know whose hole that was. He didn't even know if any one was living there now. What is more, for the moment he didn't care. He stopped just a little way inside and turned to look out the doorway. Hooty had lighted on the doorstep. He was snapping his bill hungrily. Peter could hear it, and the sound wasn't at all pleasant. What would Hooty do now? Would he give up and go away? Would he sit up on a tree where he could watch and wait for Peter to come out?

"If he does that, he'll have to wait for a long time," thought Peter. "Yes sir, he'll have to wait a long time."

There was another sound now, a sound very different from the snapping of that bill. For the first time Peter noticed it; it was a rustling sound, and it didn't come from outside. It came from behind him down below. It meant just one thing, and Peter knew it instantly. It meant there was someone down there. It meant that this underground house was occupied. He moved uneasily, and something pricked one of his feet. It pricked him only very slightly, just enough for him to feel it. He looked to see what it was. It was one of Prickly Porky the Porcupine's little spears called a quill. With Prickly Porky inside and Hooty the Owl outside, he was in what might be called "a fix."

Schools Doing Good Work For Immigrants

OTTAWA, March 4 (CP)—In a Vancouver night school, a shy young man forced out of a Czechoslovakian university because he did not want to be a Communist, points to his desk and says slowly, deliberately:

"I sit at my desk."

Then he points to the front of the room, to the teacher, and just as slowly and carefully continues:

"The teacher sits on a chair."

Through these simple sentences he is learning the language of his new country. He is one of 40,000 new Canadians taking such courses.

These are the latter segments of a flow of some 630,000 immigrants absorbed by Canada since the end of the Second World War. Many had no knowledge of French or English.

"We native-born Canadians," said Immigration Minister Harris in a statement on Canadian Education Week, March 2-8, "take for granted the ability to speak either or both of the two official languages of Canada . . .

BIG HANDICAP

"We perhaps fail sometimes to appreciate the barriers which can be created for an immigrant because of language difficulties."

That's why the immigration and citizenship department emphasizes the need for new arrivals to get acquainted with the English or French language as quickly as possible.

Provincial and municipal education authorities are co-operating by organizing night classes for newcomers, with the federal government supplying text books free.

"At the moment," said Harris, 'the estimate is that there are about 40,000 adults attending these classes across Canada."

As the newcomers progress, they learn something about the country; its history, its resources, its industry and its governments.

A number of immigrant children are attending regular day schools.

LONDON (CP).—A sword-making firm here received an order from the United States for 1,000 plain sabres, worth about £10 each. The firm normally exports about 1,000 swords a year, mostly for U.S. marine officers, who wear them on ceremonial parades.

HORIZONTAL

1, 4 Radio-TV song-seller
10 Dried (var.)
12 Citrus fruits
14 Dogwood
15 Football pass
16 Land masses (ab.)
17 Shouts
19 Age
20 Pacific
22 Beast of burden
23 Depression
24 Masculine appellation
26 Heraldic band
27 Foes
30 Relate
31 Precipitous
34 His board of critics judges songs on their
38 You can —— him on the radio as well as TV
39 Warp yarn
41 Horse's gait
42 Bitter vetch
43 Anguish
45 British money of account
46 Abed
48 Ocean vessel
50 Repeat
51 Sheaves
52 Eats away
53 Golf teacher

VERTICAL

1 Joker
2 Ascended
3 Born
4 Gangsters' girls
5 Soviet mountains
6 Rodents
7 Royal naval engineer (ab.)
8 Concurs
9 Pines
10 World War I "big push"
11 Arid
13 Laminated rock
18 Dingr
21 Sharper
23 Abandon
25 Pillip
26 Festival
28 Written form of Mister
29 Demeter's jester
31 Canonical law of Islam (var.)
32 Cylindrical
33 Church festival
35 Laundry machine
36 Bullfighter
38 He —— on radio and television
39 Rugged mountain crest
40 Tarries
43 Hundredth of a right angle
44 Diminutive of Flora
47 Internal revenue office (ab.)
49 Little demon

Answer to Previous Puzzle

GRANDE TAMALE
AERIES AMIGOS
UNITES BESOTS
COA MELON GIE
HIRE NEO HUON
ORINOCO KEENE
ABE SEE
BIS LED
SPELT DINERO
ERNS SUP DUPE
RID KEEPS SEW
ACUMEN ELAINE
PERSON RUNNER
EDESSA STEEDS

Plates Eaten Not Washed In Old Days, Gyros Told

They didn't bother to wash dishes in the old days—they ate 'em.

So said Courtenay Haddock, manager of Woodward's Victoria store, during his talk to the Gyro Club Monday on the history of china.

Haddock told club members that the first actual dinner plates of the English nobility were made of very hard bread. When the meal was over, both the plates and the scraps were given to the poor, who then proceeded to eat the lot.

The speaker said china was first made in China in 200 B.C. The western world did not discover the secret of its manufacture until 1300 A.D.

China, which increases in value with the years if it is of fine quality, is found in four main classes: Earthenware, fine earthenware, bone china (made in England and composed of from 60-70 per cent ox bone) and German-made Dresden.

Haddock showed club members several pieces from each category and even went so far as to stand on one expensive dish to show its strength.

It didn't break.

But, added the expert, it happened once during a demonstration and the damage totalled $35.

Orators' Contest To Aid Chest Campaign

An oratorical contest will help spark the April 15 Community Chest drive here.

Representatives from four city speaking clubs — Toastmasters', Toastmistresses', Carnegie and Chairmen's—will talk on 16 of the 18 member services of the chest at the contest March 31 at 8.15 in Chest headquarters, Spencerhouse.

Awards will be made to the best speakers and winners will be heard on the radio during the pre-campaign publicity drive. Tentative judges of the contest will be Frank Paulding, Warwick Angus, Stuart Keate and Seth Halton.

February Pensioners Gain Over January's

February payments for old-age security totaled $2,849,200, W. R. Bone, regional director of old-age security, has announced.

Payments were made to 70,825 pensioners in British Columbia. This figure is 1,500 higher than January's.

Closing Averages

Dow Jones closing averages:
30 Industrials ... 263.95, up 3.87
20 Railroads ... 86.89, up 1.75
15 Utilities ... 49.11, up .42
65 Stocks ... 98.77, up 1.49
Volume, 1,570,000.

Toronto averages:
Industrials ... 328.17, up 2.78
Golds ... 83.06, off .41
Base Metals ... 194.21, up .56
Western Oils ... 134.99, off .20
Sales, 2,707,000.

Montreal averages:
Industrials ... 215.60, up 1.40
Utilities ... 86.10, up .60
Golds ... 66.28, up .35
P. & P. ... 756.01, up 7.27
Sales, 308,200.

New York Up Sharply For Wide Gains

NEW YORK, March 4 (AP)—Strong buying support sent the stock market bouncing ahead today in one of the best gains of the year.

Railroads led the forward movement that started early in the session. They soon were joined by the oils, which displayed some of the widest gains of the day. Others in early on the upswing included non-ferrous metals, chemicals and steels. Aircrafts were neglected.

Higher were Santa Fe, Nickel Plate, Atlantic Coast Line, Standard Oil (N.J.), Texas Co., Amerada Petroleum, Atlantic Refining, Cities Service, U.S. Gypsum, American Telephone, American Smelting, Dow Chemical and Du Pont.

Canadian issues were mostly higher. International Nickel gained ⅝, McIntyre and Hiram Walker both were up ½, and Canadian Pacific added ⅜. Dome Mines and Distillers Seagrams each increased ⅛.

Toronto Checked

TORONTO, March 4 (CP).—Mixed support today toward the stock market's close checked industrials' sharp upswing. Golds, base metals and western oils showed little trend.

Western oils opened strongly but support weakened during the first hour and prices turned lower. Golds opened irregularly then drifted downward in irregular dealings. Base metals made little headway.

Volume for the session was about 2,600,000 shares.

Papers, utilities, constructions, steels, refining oils, banks and textiles headed industrials' rise. Liquors and miscellaneous issues also drew firm support but retail stores and foods dipped.

Western oil posted a slight majority of losses ranging from pennies to the 75-cent dip of Gridoil. Calgary and Edmonton, Calvan Consolidated, Dome Exploration and Jupiter were among losses.

Vancouver Active

VANCOUVER — Noon close. Busy trading at Vancouver in the early session today sparked some swift gains in a few actively-traded stocks, mostly the western oils, although a broad section of the market was still lagging, price-wise.

Britalta, actively traded, was the feature performer at Vancouver with a gain of 65c closing at $5.50; Calnorth was a loser at 97c, off 13; Calvan, Federated Pete, Long Island, Superior and Admiral were unchanged; Calmont was down 5 points to $6.75; Continental was off 2.

Less activity was registered in the mines and the pattern was mostly unchanged. Estella lost 20 points to close at $1.95.

Montreal Higher

MONTREAL, March 4 (CP)—Stock prices pushed steadily higher near the close today on the Montreal Stock Exchange and curb market, after irregular opening easiness.

Advances ranging to about a point assumed control of the list as mild support erased early weakness.

Papers led the market higher. Senior metals, senior oils, steels and utilities were firm. Beverages and miscellaneous industrials were irregularly higher.

Carriers were steady, while banks were unchanged to a trifle lower.

Simpson's "A" jumped 5¼ points to 39¼, before turning back to 39. Aluminium advanced 1 point to 112, after dropping 1¾ points yesterday.

Simpson's "B" fell 1¼ points in light trading, after yesterday's 3¾-point gain.

London Slow

LONDON, March 4 (Reuters)—Dullness persisted on the stock exchange today.

German bonds came under pressure in the foreign bond section and slipped back a half point or so. Japanese bonds were also off fractionally, but recovered on rumors of an early ratification of the Japanese peace treaty by the U.S.

Elsewhere dealings were very slow with prices easier. Heavy industrials and textiles lost a few pence and oils and shippings moved back slightly. Gilts were generally unchanged.

Interest in Kaffirs and coppers was meagre.

LONDON, March 4 (AP)—Stocks close: Babcock & Wilcox 65s 9d, Boots Pure Drug 17s 10½d, Canadian Pacific $63, Central Mining £2 1/16, Consolidated Gold Fields 52s 6d, Courtaulds 38s 10½d, Hudson's Bay Co. 181s 3d, Imperial Chemical 41s, Imperial Tobacco 83s 9d (ex-dividend), Metal Box 43s, Mexican Eagle 23s 9d, Rand Mines 114s 4½d.

Bonds: British 2½ per cent Consols £39¾, British 3½ per cent War Loans £75, British Fundings 4s 1960-1990 £98¼.

TODAY'S STOCK QUOTATIONS

By

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MONTREAL-TORONTO INDUSTRIALS

CLOSING PRICES

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi, com	16⅝	16⅞
Do pfd	25¼	25⅜
Acadia Atlntic	6½	6¾
Do A	17¼	18½
Do pfd	98	100
Agnew-Surpass	9¼	10
Algoma Steel	50	52
Aluminium	112½	113½
Do pfd	23¾	24
Ang-Nfld-Dv	11⅜	11¾
Argus Corp	13	13¼
Do pfd	85	87
Asbestos Corp	23¼	24
Ashdwn Hrd A	13	14
Do B	16½	17
Atlas Steel	21⅞	22
Bathurst A	47½	49½
Do B		28
Beatty Bros	8½	8⅝
Bell Telephone	38¾	39
Blue Ribbon		25
Brntfrd Crd A	16½	17
Do B	11	12
Brazilian Trct	10⅜	10¾
B-A Oil	21⅜	21½
BC Elc 4% pfd	77¼	79
Do 4¾% pfd	89	89½
BC Forest Prd	6¾	7
BC Packers A	19½	20
Do B		18
BC Power A	32½	33
Do B	6¼	6⅝
Brown Co	13⅜	13¾
Do 1st pfd	107¾	108¾
Do 2nd pfd	50⅝	51
Bruck Mills A	17½	18
Do B		10
Bldng Prdcts	34¼	35
Burlington Stl	20½	22½
Burns & Co A	40	42
Do B	26½	30
Brrd Drydk A	7¾	8
Cdn Dm Sgr	18⅝	19¼
Cdn Cement	74½	76
Do pfd	27	27¼
Cdn Irn Fnd	20	20½
Cdn Malting	48¾	49
Cdn Nrthn Pw	10	10⅝
Cdn Packers A	32¾	33
Do B	26½	25¾
Cdn Permnent	48⅛	48¼
Cdn Stemships	53	54
Do pfd	44½	47½
Cdn Wr Cb A	170	
Do B	85⅜	87
Cdn Breweries	18½	19
Cdn Bronze		41
Do pfd	100	
Cdn Canners	31¾	32
Cdn Cr Fnd	14¼	15
Do A	16½	17½
Cdn Celanese	42	43¼
Do $1.75 pfd	33	33¾
Do $1 pfd		20
Cdn Dg & Dk	53½	54½
Cdn Gen Elec	390	420
Cdn Gen Invt	24¾	26
Cdn Industries	41	42
Cdn Loco	22¼	25
Cdn Oil	25½	26
Cdn Pacific	34½	35
Cdn Vickers	16⅛	16¼
Cdn West Lbr	9⅞	10
Cdn Westing	76	77
Chatco Steel	7	8
Do pfd	6½	6⅞
Ccksht Plow	16¾	17
Com Alcohol	6	6½
Do pfd	8	8½
Cons M & S	37½	37¾
Con Paper	34¾	35
Cnsmrs Gas	14⅛	14¼
Cnsmrs Glass	20	20¼
Corby's A	10	10½
Do B		12
Cosmos Imp	27¾	28
Craig Bit	5¾	6
Davis Lthr A	16¼	16½
Do B	5	6
Dist Sgrms	24⅞	25⅛
Dom Bridge	84½	85½
Dom Fd & Stl	12¾	13
Do pfd	98½	99
Dom Glass	59	61
Dom Mgnsm	11	12
Dom Oilcloth	36½	38
Dom Stl & Cl	17½	17⅝
Dom Stores	10⅞	11
Dom Tar & Ch	40½	41
Do pfd	19¾	20
Dom Textile	11¼	11½
Dom Woollens	5½	5⅞
Donahue Bros	16	17
Donna Paper	27	
Dryden Paper	40	40⅝
Eddy Paper A	25	25¼
Electrolux	14¼	15
T H Ebrk pfd	18½	20
Famous Plyrs	17⅝	18
Fanny Farmer	23	24
Federal Grain	13	14
Fleet Mfg	165	170
Ford of Cda A	51¾	52
Fraser Co	59½	60
Do pfd		103
Gatineau Pwr	17⅞	18¼
Do 5% pfd	100	101
Gen Stl Wares	15	16
Do pfd	100	104¾
Goodyear Tire	96	98
Do pfd	48¼	49
Grt Lks Paper	19¼	19½
Do A pfd	49½	50½
Grt W Coal B	9½	9¾
Gypsum Lime	29½	30
Trans Cda C	420	450
Hamilton Bdge	15½	16
Hamilton Cot	20	23
Harding Cpt	8	9½
Hayes Steel	31½	32
Hinde Dauche	28¾	30
Howard Smith		22½
Imp Oil	37¾	38⅛
Imp Tobacco	10½	10⅝
Do 4% pfd	22¾	23
Indust Accept	37¾	38¼
Inter Bronze	9	10
Do pfd	19½	21¼
Infer Metals A	41	
Inter Nickel	44½	45
Inter Paper	48½	48⅞
Inter Pete	26⅛	27
Inter Util	27¾	28
Kelvinator	14¼	15
Labatts	17⅝	18
Lake of Woods	33	33½
Lang	11	13
Laura Secord	12½	12¾
Loblaw A	30¾	31¼
Do B	32¼	32½
McMillan A	23	24
Do B	23	23½
Mailman Corp	12½	13½
Maple Leaf M	7⅝	8
Massey Harris	11⅝	12
McColl Front	40⅞	41
Do pfd	91	93
Mercury Mills	250	260
Milton Brick	170	175
M O Paper	26½	26⅝
Molson's A		27
Monarch Knit	15	16
Montreal Loco	14¾	15
Moore Corp	24¼	24½
Nat Brew	16	18
Nat Drug	8	8¼
Do pfd	11	
Nat Grocers	13⅞	14½
Nat Hosiery A	8½	9¾
Do B	8¼	8½
Nat Steel Car	27	28
Niagara W W	31	
Ogilvie Flour	25¾	27
Ontario Steel	17	18¾
CIP		690
Orange Crush	410	440
Page Hersey	66½	67½
Penmans	50	54½
Powell River	26½	26¾
Power Corp	29½	30
Price Bros	30	30½
Purity Flour	9	10
Do pfd	54	
River Silk A	26	27
Do B	10	15
Russell Indus	21¾	
St. Law Corp	41¾	42
Shawinigan A	40½	41
Shea Brew A	13¾	16½
Do B	38	29½
Sick's Brew cm		20
Do VT		20
Silver Dairies A	9¼	9½
Simpson's A	36	37¾
Do B	36½	37
Slater Co	35	37
Southam Co	18	19½
Std Paving	13½	14
Do pfd	27	
S Brock A	6½	7
Stedman	17⅝	18½
Stel Can com	31½	32
Do pfd	32½	33½
Supertest com	20	
Tamblyn	31½	32
Taylor, Prsn	6½	7
Do pfd	10½	11½
T T Tailors	24½	25
Traders Fin A	31⅝	32
Union Gas	23¾	24¼
Utd Corp A	28	28¼
Do B	40	41
Utd Fuel A	55	56
Utd Steel	10¾	11
Hiram Walker	45⅝	45⅞
Westeel	21⅜	22
W Can Brew	16⅝	17
West Grocers	41	49
Do A	33	34
George Watson	21½	23
Do pfd	92	95
Winnipeg Elec	38½	38⅝
York Knit	475	490
BANKS		
Montreal	27½	27⅝
Nova Scotia	37	37¼
Toronto	38⅜	39½
Commerce	24⅝	25½
Dominion	28	28¼
Imperial	32½	32⅝
Royal	27⅝	28¼
UNLISTED	Bid	Asked
Anglo C Tel A	10¾	11¼
Do pfd	40	41
BC Sugar	100	
BC Tel pfd	108	
Do pfd 4¾	93½	95½
Do com	34¼	34½
Calgary P pfd	96	99
Can Util pfd	98	100⅝
CW Nat Gas	7⅝	
Do pfd	16½	17½
Cunn Drg pfd	50	52
Dover Indust	8	9¼
Growers W	155	
Neon Products	50	52
Power Corp	108	110
Peller Brew	115	135
Do pfd $25	11¼	12¾
Howard Smith		45
Safeway Can	90	
Simpson's	96	97
U Steel P pfd	24¼	25½

TORONTO MINES AND OILS

OILS	Bid	Asked
Ajax	160	161
Anchor	20	29
Anglo-Can	895	910
C and E	15¾	16
Calmont	192	200
Calvan	660	675
Can South	10⅛	10½
Can Atlantic	670	690
Cent Leduc	300	310
Charter Oil	126	132
Commoil	340	370
Commonwlth	340	370
Davies	48	51
Del Rio	232	237
Dev Leduc	260	265
Dome Ex	875	900
East Crest	20	22
Federated	835	865
Gridoil	26	27
Home Oil	16	16¼
Jupiter	340	355
Kroy	210	220
Triad	270	275
Leduc Con	61	64
Long Island	47	50
Mid Cont	52	55
Model Oil	230	236
Nat Pete	300	310
New Brit D	268	275
Oil Select	12	14
Okalta	400	410
Pac Pete	10½	11
Pan West	104	110
Red Pic	60	65
Royalite	16¼	16½
Roxana	23	27
Scurry	355	370
Sec Free	265	275
Selburn	365	380
Superior	152	158
Tower Pete	40	42
Trans Emp	565	580
Trend	51	54
United Oil	156	160
West Home	190	195
West Lease	800	810
MINES		
Amn Y K	59	61
Ankeno	32	35
Cassiar	370	375
Fenimore	102	108
Akaitcho	96	100
Anacon	325	340
Ascot Metals	272	276
Aubelle	8	10
Aumaque	20	22
Aunor	296	300
Barnat	96	100
Barymin	90	95
Base Metals	51	55
Bevcourt	100	105
Bobjo	19	21
Bralorne	600	620
Broulan	143	147
Buff Addison	12	14
Buff Ankerite	114	120
Bulolo	760	800
Cmpbl Rd kL	550	565
Cdn Malartic	53	60
Castle Treth	250	265
Cntrl Patricia	62	69
Chmcl Rsrch	120	125
Chesterville	35	40
Cblt Ld Slvr	76	80
Cchenr Willns	146	154
Colomac	4	5
Conwest	370	385
Croinor	35	40
Discovery Y K	62	67
Dome Mines	18½	18⅝
Donalda	44	47
East Malartic	90	95
East Sullivan	860	970
Elder	58	61
Eldona	29	32
Estella	196	200
Eureka	142	150
Falconbridge	12½	13
Frobisher	455	470
Gnt Ylwknf	11	11½
Gods Lake	38	40
Goldn Manitou	635	650
Harricana	14	16
Hardrock	12	14
Hasaga	29	35
Hollinger	14	14½
Hosco	5	6
Hdsn By Mng	58½	60
Indian Lake	4	5
Inspiration	37	39
Joliet Quebec	48	51
Kerr Addison	17⅛	18
Kirkland Lake	80	85
Labrador	850	875
Lake Dufault	120	125
Lake Osu	20	22
Lake Wasa	33	36
Lamaque	530	575
Lavalle	14	17
Leitch Gold	108	112
Little Lng Lk	68	71
Lingman Lake	18	21
Louvicourt	27	30
Lynx Ylwknf	12	14
McDonald	130	132
McIntyre	73½	75
McKenzie R L	40	45
McLd Cckshtt	273	278
Macassa	180	186
Mackeno	130	140
Mdsn Rd Lk	195	200
Malartic Gldfl	175	180
Mining Corp	15¾	16
Moneta	35	38
Negus	56	60
New Calumet	264	270
New Dickensn	196	205
New Jason	9	11
New Lund	116	125
Nipissing	210	245
Nisto	13	15
Noranda	79	80
Normetals	500	575
O'Brien Gold	116	120
Osisko Lake	100	103
Pamour Porc	72	80
Paymaster	62	67
Perron Gold	62	67
Pickle Crow	152	160
Powell Rouyn	80	90
Preston	136	144
Que Manitou	280	285
Quemont	21½	22
San Antonia	246	255
Senator	17	19
Sheep Creek	164	170
Sher Gord	415	430
Silanco	40	45
Sigma	690	725
Sil Miller	156	161
Silver Std	230	250
Sisco Gold	66	70
Sladen Mal	36	40
Star Olsen	45	50
Steep rock	710	725
Sullivan	315	325
Sylvanite	130	132
Teck Hughes	230	235
Toburn	30	32
Trans Cont R	55	58
Up Canada	166	170
United K Hill	13¼	13½
Ventures	16¼	17
Wait Amulet	12½	13
Wright H	216	222
Yellow B	190	195
Yale L Z	66	70
Yukeno	115	120
UNLISTED		
Amax	60	80
Aug Porc	12	16
Aurora	40	45
Beacon	12	17
Bi Ore	4	7
Can Sup	14¼	15¼
Cent Man	7	9
Clear	45	4 8
Comstock	27	32
Captain	2	5
Empire	37	—
Horne Fault	10	13
Goldfields U	50	65
Lasalle	2	4
Kamlac	16	20
Lingnora	6¼	7½
Lun Echo	6	10
Midland	16	17
Mindus	50	57
Mt Keno	33	38
Nesbitt Lab	155	165
Norbeau	60	80
Oklend	8	11
Pascalis	15	20
Payne	8	11
P R N G	490	510
Radiore	35	40
Rand Mal	7	11
Salmita	53	58
Vauze Dufault	6	9
Vermilion Con	25	30
New Walcora	20	26
West Amulet	30	
Westlock	36	39
Yukore	40	—

VANCOUVER—NOON

OILS	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	20	20½
Anglo Can	900	910
A P Con	52	54
Atlantic	680	690
Britalta P	540	545
C and E	15½	
Calmont	191	198
Calnorth	90	98
Calvan Cons	665	
Charter	125	126
Commoil	340	
Continental	186	188
Dalhousie	37	42
Decalta		39
Del Rio	230	235
Federated P	840	—
General P	900	—
Do A	880	
Hargal	15	16
Hig Sarcee	35	37
Home		16
McD Segur	32	33½
Mercury	29	30
Mill City	48	51
Model	225	240
Okalta	380	410
Pacific Pete	10¾	11
Redwater Leas	37	39
Royal Can	22½	23
Royalite	16	17
Share	15½	—
South Braze	12	14
Sunset	40	45
Superior	155	158
Vanalta	60	61
Vulcan	84	92
York	43	45
MINES		
American Std	25½	26
Base Metals	50	—
Bralorne	600	—
B R X (1935)	4	4¾
Canusa Cariboo	5	
Cariboo Gold	130	135
C L Silver	74	80
Congress	6	7
Cronin Babine	45	46
Estella	190	195
Giant Mascot	97	99
Golconda	20	
Grandview	31	
Hamil	22	26
High Belle	76	80
Indian	20	21
Inter C C	—	93
Island Mount		70
K B Metals	27	29
Kootenay B	80	85
McG Creek	—	50
P E Gold	6	
Pacific Nickel	35	38
Pioneer Gold	212	215
Placer Develop		48
Premier Brdr	33	34
Privateer	9	10
Quatsino Cpr	61	62
Red Hawk	5	5½
Reeves McD	525	550
Reno Gold	3½	4
Sheep Creek	164	165
Silbak Premier	57	59
Silvan Cons	140	142
Silver Ridge	25	30
Taku River	7	—
Utica	3½	4
Vananda	21	22
Van Roi	63	65
Wellington	3	3½
West Expl	123	125
West Uran	315	320
Yukeno	115	120
INDUSTRIALS		
Alberta Dist A	—	275
Do V T		260
B C F Prdcts	675	
B C Turf	41½	45
C W Lumber	10	—
Coast Brew	400	—
Interior Brew	430	450
MacMillan B		25½
Neon Products	15¼	—
P C Terminals	12	
Pacific Coyle		120
Powell River		27
Sun Publish	19½	—
West Paper A	10¾	—
Do B	9	—

NEW YORK

	Closing Bid
Allied Chemicals	71¾
American Can	118¾
American Tobacco	60⅞
American Smelter	45⅞
American Tel & Tel	156⅛
Atchison Topeka	77½
Atlantic Coast Line	84¾
B & O Railway	19¼
Beth Steel	49¾
CPR	37⅞
C & O Railway	34¾
Chrysler	69⅞
Corn Products	69½
Dupont	87½
Delaware & Hudson	46⅜
Eastman Kodak	44¾
Erie RR	19⅝
General Foods	43⅞
General Electric	56⅜
General Motors	51⅝
Goodyear Tire	44
Great Northern	49⅜
Int Harvester	32½
Int Nickel	44¾
Johns-Manville	66⅛
Loews Theatre	17
Natl Distillers	31
New York Central	19⅜
Norfolk Western	49
Northern Pacific	69⅝
Penn Railway	18¾
Procter Gamble	67¼
Standard, Calif	51⅞
Standard Oil, NJ	77⅛
Sears Roebuck	53½
Southern Pacific	64
Southern Railway	51½
Texas Corp	55¾
Union Carbide	59⅞
Union Pacific	111¾
United Aircraft	30⅝
US Steel	39
Westinghouse Elec	36¼
Woolworth	42⅝

CALGARY OILS—NOON

	Bid	Asked
Admiral	40	41
AP Cons	51	
Amer Led	71	75
Anaconda	20	21
Barons	28½	29
Calmont	198	205
Calnorth	98	103
Cent Led	300	310
Coastal	120	
Dalhousie	39	39
New Cont	188	189
Davies	45	
Decalta	37	41
East Chest	20	
Emjay	17	18
Fortune	43	45
Frehold	12½	12¾
Grease Creek	11¾	12
Hanna	20½	21
Hargal	16	17
Highwood	34	36
Jump Pound		43
Jupiter	325	
Kroy	205	220
Led Calmar	102	108
Led Cons	60	62
Long Isle	48	49
Matlo	37	39
McD Segur	33	34
Mercury	29½	30
Mill City	45	47
Model	220	235
Natl Pete	300	
New Ranch	174	176
North Contl	18	19
North Ex	26	28
Okalta	390	410
Petroleum	91	93
Reality	25	25½
Redwatr		39
Renfrew	31	32
Richfield	20	21
Roxana	23	26
Royal Can	22½	23
Scurry	335	360
Sec Freehold	270	287
Select Oils	70	72
Share Oils	16	16½
Spooner	40	42
Sunset		45
Superior	156	158
Trans Empire	580	600
Turner Valley	135	145
United	150	155
Vulcan	80	95
Wagner	14¼	15
Western Ashly	50	54

GIVING

Cash For Welfare Is Good Business

By BURKE CAHILL, Times Business Editor

Businessmen generally have been calling for a lumping together of charitable appeals.

But there are some agencies in this field which, because of their special importance, cannot be easily integrated into a common fund-raising drive.

Cahill

Such an agency is the Red Cross. The work done under the famous crimson banner can hardly be measured by money value. Yet business firms as such need to assess their contributions in terms of cash.

AMOUNTS GIVEN

Keeping in mind the literally invaluable work of such an agency as the Red Cross, and at the same time attempting to decide a measure for individual contributions, it is useful to note the amounts donated to welfare agencies in Canada in recent years.

It is the Bible which says: give one tenth, or 10 per cent, of the fruits of thy labor. In Canada in 1949 individuals gave precisely 1.235 per cent of net income. Companies here gave 1.19 per cent of their net.

TAX REBATE

Indirectly, the government supports all welfare work by allowing the tax rebate on sums given up to 10 per cent of income, in the case of indivduals, and up to 5 per cent in the case of companies.

Businessmen as such can appreviate the fact that if companies in Canada did give up to the limit, 5 per cent, instead of 1.19 per cent, then the government would in fact be putting up 50 per cent of the total given. In other words, the more cash business gives the more government pays of the total. So it is in fact good business to give more. It costs less and does an awful lot more.

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American Plywood Company has guaranteed not to up its prices on car-load lots of plywood for the next six months. The move is to facilitate bidding on government orders.

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Socony-Vacuum Exploration Co. today announced it has abandoned its first step-out well at Fosterton in west-central Saskatchewan after drilling to 3,400 feet, about 300 feet below the production level at the medium crude discovery well.

The second well was about a mile west of the original strike.

Work is expected to start by the first of next week on a sec-southeast of the discovery well.

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Scandinavian newsprint mills have cut newsprint prices to India by 8 per cent. Canadian prices in the Bombay market, however, are rising. Odd lots of Canadian newsprint have been offered by U.S. middlemen at prices well above the Scandinavian tags.

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Some 16,000 steel workers in Canada are after parity wages with United States steel workers and have started negotiations with the there major Canadian steel plants.

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Ponder Oils will build a new, two-story field office at Devon, Alberta, to supervise its eight wells producing, three drilling and three in which it holds substantial interests.

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Mindus Corporation has bought out the Universal Cooler Company, one of the largest manufacturers of ice cream cabinets in the British Empire.

GRAIN

WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, March 4 (CP)—All coarse grains futures prices rallied briskly towards the close of today's session on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, reflecting advances on U.S. markets.

Some improvement in commercial demand was noted. There were fair processor purchases in barley, some shipping support indicated in oats and local covering in oats and barley.

Processors made fair purchases of flax. U.S. houses took rye. Offerings were light and sharp gains were posted.

Trade quickened as the session proceeded.

There were no reports of export wheat loadings overnight.

Prices for class two and I.W.A. were unchanged.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oats—				
May	90	91	89	90⅜
July	81⅛	82½	81⅛	82½
Oct.	78½	79⅞	78½	79⅞
Rye—				
May	189	193¾	188¾	193⅝
July	185½	190⅛	185½	190⅛
Oct.	177½	181½	176¾	181⅛
Barley—				
May	126½	128	126¾	127⅞
July	119⅝	121⅞	119¼	121⅞
Oct.	114¾	117	114⅝	116½
Flax—				
May	435	439	433½	437
July	426	430½	426	429½
Oct.	414	416	414	416

CASH GRAIN
Oats—No. 2 C.W., 92⅞.
Barley—No. 2 C.W., 129⅝.
Rye—No. 2 C.W., 190⅞; track, 191⅛.

CHICAGO

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Mar.	251¼	252¼	251⅛	251⅞
May	248⅞	249⅞	248¼	249⅝
July	242¾	243¾	242⅝	243⅝
Corn—				
Mar.	175½	177¼	175	177⅛
May	179⅝	181½	179¼	181⅝
July	181	182⅞	180¾	182¾
Oats—				
Mar.	81	82½	78¾	82⅞
May	82⅝	83¼	82⅛	83½
July	80½	81½	80	81⅝
Rye—				
May	193¾	196½	193½	196½
July	190⅛	193¾	190½	193¾
Sept.	180	182¾	180	182¾

Churchill, Man., Port Big Year

WINNIPEG, March 4 (BUP)—A big year for the port of Churchill, Man., was forecast Monday in the Manitoba Legislature.

The prediction was made by F. L. Jobin, the Liberal member for The Pas, who recently returned from the annual meeting of the Hudson Bay Route Association at North Battleford, Saskatchewan.

Jobin urged the provincial government — and particularly the Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce —to help develop the port.

City Egg Prices

To Producer—	
Grade A large	37c
Grade A medium	36c
Grade A small	33c
Grade B	32c
Wholesale—	
Grade A large	50-51c
Grade A medium	48-49c
Grade A small	46-47c

Dividends

International Nickel Co., pfd. $1.75, May 1, April 1, March 29.
Grand & Toy Ltd., 15c, March 31, March 21, March 20.
Western Grocers Ltd., A 50c, pfd. 35c, April 15, March 14, March 13.

U.K. To Sell More Lead In U.S. Buying

NEW YORK (D.J.)—The British Ministry of Supply for the second time in about a month is seeking to sell another large tonnage of refined lead to the United States for its stockpile.

The amount involved is said to aggregate 20,000 long tons and the price is understood to be the 19 cents U.S. ceiling for both domestic and foreign lead.

Early last month the British negotiated the sale of 30,000 long tons of lead to the United States government stockpilers at the ceiling price.

The purpose of the transaction is believed to be twofold. It will relieve the British of an overbought lead position and give that country much-needed dollar exchange.

Some trade authorities stated that it would also take some of the pressure away from the foreign market, where lead has been in over supply.

It was felt that the British were taking a substantial loss on a good part of its sale at the 19 cent price to the U.S.

Bonds Steady

MONTREAL, March 4 (CP)—Prices were mainly unchanged today in quiet trading on the Montreal bond market. Demand for short-term government of Canada issues fell off slightly.

On the corporate market, some interest was apparent in B.A. Oil and C.P.R. convertibles. B.A. Oils were up more than a point, while C.P.R. 3⅛'s were up 1 point and the 3½'s up fractionally.

$ Exchange

NEW YORK, March 4 (CP)—The Canadian dollar was at parity with United States funds in foreign exchange dealings today.

The pound sterling was down ⅛ of a cent at $2.78¼.

POWER CORPORATION OF CANADA LIMITED

The Board of Directors has declared the following dividend.

No par value Common Stock

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V. J. NIXON, Secretary.

Montreal, February 22nd, 1952.

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Alberta Oil Markets In U.S. Will Have To Compete With Calif. Producers

Alberta oil will have to compete with California for the Pacific Northwest and will not have it all to itself, T. S. Peterson, president of Standard Oil of California, said in Vancouver Monday.

He was referring to Trans-Mountain Oil Company's proposed $82,000,000 oil pipeline from Edmonton, Alta., to Burnaby, B.C. The line was expected to be completed and in operation in 1953 and was slated to feed the Pacific Northwest states of Washington and Oregon along with B.C.

"California oil companies produce 975,000 barrels of oil a day, supplying the whole Pacific coast at the present time, and they have reserves to last at least 11 years, so they are not going to step out of the Pacific Northwest unless forced to by competition," Peterson said.

The company president also said that removal of the United States 18 cents a barrel tax against Canadian oil would help the Alberta exporter.

That is if this were brought about which is unlikely at present, he said.

Mr. Petersen is in British Columbia along with other top officials of Standard to look over his company's plans in connection with plant capacity on the Canadian west coast.

It is expected that Standard will enlarge its refinery capacity on the B.C. coast along with other major oil companies who are already doing so. Imperial Oil is spending $13,000,000 to expand its refinery at Ioco, outside Vancouver.

The U.S. oil men said that the Canadian pipeline was regarded as insurance in case of war or other emergency which might drain domestic supplies.

Total Lumber Output Down

OTTAWA, March 4 (CP).—Canadian production of lumber declined during 1951 over the preceding year, while shipments increased, the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

The year's production of sawn lumber and ties in British Columbia amounted to 3,456,476,000 feet, against 3,498,506,000 in 1950, and in the other provinces the total was 2,996,920,000 feet, against 3,101,461,000.

Shipments in British Columbia during the year rose to 3,327,879,000 feet from 3,207,799,000 in 1950. In the other provinces the year's shipments were up to 1,902,682,000 feet from 1,847,440,000.

Seek New Pipe Line Company

OTTAWA, March 4 (CP).—A new pipeline company—Canadian Pipelines, Ltd.—plans to seek incorporation from Parliament.

Notice of the applicaton was given in the current issue of the Canada Gazette.

The company is believed to be backed by United States interests and to be seeking to carry oil east from Alberta. Another firm, Interprovincial Pipelines, already is transporting Alberta oil as far east as the head of the lakes.

The new company's official notice said the incorporation will be sought either at the current or the next session of Parliament.

Fruit Industry Meet To Examine Market, Output

Meetings under the sponsorship of the Saanich Fruit Growers' Association got under way in the farmers' pavilion, Dominion Experimental Station, Saanich, at noon today.

Marketing and production of fruits and vegetables will be examined at the sessions, today and Wednesday, by government agricultural experts and members of the fruit-growing industry.

LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, March 4 (CP)—Trade was active on light receipts on the Calgary livestock market today. No light veal calves were available in the 115 cattle and calves on offer. Buyers were able to absorb the limited supplies at steady to strong prices.

Butcher steers and heifers were fully steady. Cows were strong to 50 cents higher, bulls generally steady. Heavy butcher calves were selling at $24.00-$28.00 per hundredweight. Stocker and feeder cattle continued to go as killers.

Hogs closed steady Monday at $23.75, sows at $11. No sheep sold.

Good to choice butcher steers 25.00-26.50; common to medium 20.00-24.50. Good to choice butcher heifers 23.50-25.00; common to medium 18.00-23.00. Good cows 17.00-18.00; common to medium 14.00-16.50; canners and cutters 10.00-13.50. Good bulls 14.00-15.00; common to medium 10.00-13.50.

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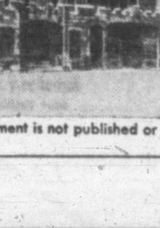

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VITAL STATISTICS

1 BIRTHS

COLE—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cole, 950 Empress, on March 1, a son, Thomas Donald.

HOWDEN—Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Howden, 3640 Iona Drive, at Royal Hospital, March 1, a brother for Billy, Bobby and Murray.

3 MARRIAGES

SPOOR-DASH—The marriage is announced of Melba Louise, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dash, 632 Dunedin, Victoria, to Alec Spoor, son of Mr. J. Spoor, 3613 Richmond, and the late Mrs. Spoor, of Friesland, Holland. The wedding took place March 1st at 7.30 p.m. at Centennial United Church. Rev. W. R. Ashford officiating.

4 DEATHS

AIKMAN—In Victoria, on March 2, 1952, Doreen Emma Grace Aikman, of 1021 North Park Street, aged 21 years. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mabel Violet Aikman; a brother, Wilfred; a half-sister, Mrs. Ethel Edgington; also half-brother, Roderick G. Stewart; all of Victoria; also an uncle, George Cooper, of 1490 Admirals Road, Victoria. Prayers will be offered in McCall Bros.' New Funeral Chapel on Wednesday evening, March 5, at 8 o'clock. Mass will be celebrated on Thursday morning, March 6, at 9 o'clock, in St. Andrew's Cathedral. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

BELL—At the Veterans' Hospital, on March 2, 1952, Dr. Percy G. Bell, aged 67, husband of Peri G. Bell, 2920 Sea View Road, Saanich; born in Winnipeg, Man., and a resident of Saanich for two years. Dr. Bell practised medicine in Winnipeg from 1919 to the Second World War as well as serving the Department of Veterans' Affairs there from 1945 to 1950 gave full time to the D.V.A. Besides his wife he leaves one son, Dr. Warren N. Bell of Philadelphia, Pa., at present in Victoria, and one daughter, Mrs. T. R. Osler, Vancouver, B.C. He was a member of St. George the Martyr Church, Cadboro Bay.

Strictly private funeral service in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday. Rev. William Hilly officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

EXLEY—Suddenly on March 3, 1952, George Exley of 711 Princess Avenue, aged 78 years. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Harry (Jessie) Winter, of Victoria; also three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services from McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel (new chapel) on Thursday afternoon, March 6, at 3.30 o'clock. Cremation.

(No flowers by request.)

FLANAGAN—In Victoria on March 2, 1952, Adelaide Marguerite Flanagan, late residence, Bamberton, V.I., widow of the late John Flanagan, and formerly of Vancouver, B.C. She is survived by one son, Rory Terence, of Victoria; three grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers in Vancouver.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday morning, March 6th, at 11.45 o'clock in McCall Bros. Floral Funeral Chapel (new chapel).

FRASER—Suddenly on March 2, 1952, Frank Fraser, of 1023 North Park Street, aged 20 years. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Lily Fraser of Kamloops; two sisters, Mrs. B. L. Reid of Victoria and Mrs. Ruby McPadden of Kamloops. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by McCall Bros., Funeral Directors.

NUTTALL—On March 1, 1952, at the residence, 3832 Rowland Avenue, Olive Nuttall, aged 71 years, beloved wife of Thomas Nuttall, born in Lancashire, England, and a resident here for the past eight years and formerly of Senlac, Sask. She leaves besides her husband: one son, Stanley, in Senlac, Sask.; one daughter, Mrs. Elmer (Bessie) Copeland, of Senlac; 15 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren; one brother, Tom Nuttall, of Ridgedale, Sask., and one sister, Mrs. E. Wilson, in Los Angeles.

Funeral services from McCall Brothers' Floral Funeral Chapel (new chapel) on Wednesday afternoon, March 5, 1952, at 1.30 o'clock. Rev. Canon R. Willis officiating. Cremation.

ROWAN—On Sunday, March 2, Robert Spears Rowan of 619 Belleville Street, passed away. He was born in Dunoon, Scotland, and has resided in Victoria for the past 45 years. He is survived by his widow, at home; two daughters, Mrs. I. McLean, and Mrs. R. Jensen, both of Victoria; three sons, Walter of Ottawa, Ont., Gordon of Victoria and Robert of Vancouver; a brother, Thomas, of Victoria; two sisters in Scotland and four grandchildren.

The Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will conduct the funeral service on Wednesday, March 5, at 2 p.m. in Chaplin's Funeral Chapel followed by interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SLACK—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Sunday, March 2, 1952, Mr. Lawrence Hubert Slack, aged 39 years; born in Lloydminster, Sask., and a resident of Victoria for the past 15 months; late residence, 2709½ Fifth Street. Survived by his wife, Naomi, and two sons, Lawrence and Robert, at home; his daughter, Mrs. D. W. Thomas, and two grandchildren in Vancouver; his sister, Mrs. Grace Schoor, of Victoria, and his brother, Wilfred, in Alberta.

Funeral services will be held at the Sands Mortuary Ltd., "Memorial Chapel of Chimes," on Wednesday, March 5, 1952, at 1.15 p.m. Rev. J. W. Ruthven officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. (Kindly omit flowers by special request.)

SAM YORK, CHARLIE KIM—In Victoria, B.C., on Feb. 24, 1952, Sam York, Charlie Kim, aged 64 years; born in Canton, China, and a resident of Victoria for the past 17 years, formerly of Kamloops, B.C., late residence, 528½ Cormorant Street. Survived by his wife and daughter in China; his son, Jack Sam, of 351 Eglington Avenue West, Toronto, Ont., at present in Victoria.

Funeral services will be held at the Sands Mortuary Ltd., "Memorial Chapel of Chimes," on Wednesday, March 5, 1952, at 3.15 p.m. Rev. M. F. Leung officiating. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

WARD—In Victoria on March 2, 1952, Mary Pauline Ward of 740 Caledonia Avenue, aged 40 years, wife of Burton Richard Ward. She leaves besides her husband, a daughter, Joan Marguerite, at home; also her mother-in-law, Mrs. Susan Ward, at the residence.

Funeral services from McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel (new chapel) on Wednesday afternoon, March 5, 1952, at 3 o'clock. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

4 DEATHS

WORMALD—On March 1, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Frederick Dawson Lionel Wormald, aged 47 years, of 201 Kelly Road, Colwood, only son of the late Capt. Charles Wormald. He leaves his wife, Nancy; his mother, Mrs. Susan Wormald, in Victoria; three sisters, Mrs. V. (Joyce) LeHequet and Mrs. C. (Elsie) Griswald of Victoria, and Mrs. R. (Muriel) Campbell of Hollywood, Cal.; several nieces and nephews. He was a member of the A.F. & A.M.

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Music gave a boost to the graphic arts last week, and indirectly, the latter will be returning the compliment. The **N.Y. Philharmonic-Symphony** and its 57th Street neighbor, the **Art Students' League,** joined in a venture to translate the Philharmonic's music-making to oil, water-color, and pen and ink, on the artists' easels. During this week and next more than 200 art students together with such noted art teachers as **Yasu Kuniyoshi, Louis Bosa, Robert Wood Johnson, Harry Sternberg** and **Edwin Dickinson,** will attend the orchestra's rehearsals in Carnegie Hall and reproduce their reactions on canvas. They will be allowed to set up their easels anywhere in the hall and work from boxes, orchestra pit, stage wings, and even from the broadcast booth.

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Results of this intra-art experiment will be exhibited later in the Carnegie Hall gallery and other art centres, and may be sent on to other interested cities. The project is the brain child of the orchestra's musical director **Dimitri Mitropolous.** "In the past," he explains, "musicians and instruments have frequently served as subjects for the great masters. We hope to perpetuate this tradition and are most anxious to furnish today's artists with a chance to employ music as subject matter for their drawings. We anticipate these artists will create works which will provide unusual and revealing insights into the abstract aspects of the music which we—and they—hear." Sounds like an excellent opportunity for our own local symphony to further publicize itself and at the same time, give a boost to local art talent.

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TONIGHT . . . "Dr. Dogbody's Leg" at 6 on CBU, or **"Life With Luigi"** on KIRO. **"Fibber McGee"** at 6.30 on KOMO. **"People Are Funny"** at 7 on KIRO. **"Leicester Square to Broadway"** at 7.30 on CBU. **"Metropolitan Auditions of the Air"** at 8 on KJR. **"P.C.H.L. Hockey"** at 8.45 on CJVI. **"Bob Hope"** at 9 on KOMO. **"Hollywood Theatre"** at 9.30 on CBU and KOMO.

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TUESDAY NIGHT PROGRAMS

	CKDA 1,340 kc.	CJVI 900 kc.	CBU 690 kc.	KIRO 710 kc.	KOMO 1,000 kc.	KJR 950 kc.	KVI 570 kc.	CJOR 600 kc.	CKWX 980 kc.
5.00	News and Roundup	Hopalong Cassidy	Troubador Tony	Edward R. Murrow	Note by Note	Space Cadet	Sgt. Preston	Easy Listening	Bill Hickok
5.15	Musical Roundup	Hopalong Cassidy	Fisher: Comment	Clifford and Clark	News	Space Cadet	Sgt. Preston	Easy Listening	Bill Hickok
5.30	Musical Round-up	Fire Fighters	Piano Playhouse	World Today	Folk Tunes	News	Sky King	Easy Listening	Rip Lawson
5.45	Town Crier	Newscast	Piano Playhouse	News	News: Comment	Keyboard Corner	Sky King	Easy Listening	Who Am I
6.00	News; Sports	Guy Lombardo	Dogbody's Leg	Life With Luigi	News	News	Gabriel Heatter	Easy Listening	News and Sports
6.15	Tippy's Scrapbook	Guy Lombardo	Dogbody's Leg	Life With Luigi	Mus. For Listening	Headline Ed	Newsreel	Easy Listening	Bob White Show
6.30	Tippy's Scrapbook	What's New	Now I Ask You	Pursuit	Fibber McGee	Bob Garred	Answer Man	Easy Listening	Bob White Show
6.45	Tippy's Scrapbook	What's New	Now I Ask You	Pursuit	Fibber McGee	Elmer Davis	News	Easy Listening	Bob White Show
7.00	News; Cash Clues	Newscast	News	People Are Funny	Eddie Cantor Show	Silver Eagle	War, Home Front	Jack Short Show	News
7.15	Cash Clues	Bedtime Story	News Roundup	People Are Funny	Eddie Cantor Show	Silver Eagle	War, Home Front	Jack Short Show	Peggy Brooks
7.30	Red Skelton	Harmony House	Leicester Square	Guest Star	Man Called X	Newsstand Theatre	Peter Salem	Harmony House	Andy Hardy
7.45	Red Skelton	Harmony House	Leicester Square	Pat Hayes	Man Called X	Newsstand Theatre	Peter Salem	Harmony House	Andy Hardy
8.00	News	News; Sports	Nation's Business	Lowell Thomas	One Man's Family	Metro. Auditions	Count Monte Cristo	News, Round Home	News
8.15	Tel-Opinion	Voice Of Army	Commodores	Jack Smith	News of the World	Metro. Auditions	Count Monte Cristo	Can. Curling	Ceci Solly
8.30	Living Design	The Robinsons	Mystery Theatre	Mr. and Mrs. North	Cavalcade America	Mr. President	Memor. Music	The Robinsons	Rhythm Pals
8.45	Day's Top Tune	The Robinsons	Mystery Theatre	Mr. and Mrs. North	Cavalcade America	Mr. President	Memor. Music	The Robinsons	Rhythm Pals
9.00	News; Chest	Hometowner Show	Chilcotin Trails	Visitin' Time	Bob Hope	Rogues Gallery	Glen Hardy	Waltz Time	Bold Venture
9.15	Treasure Chest	Hometowner Show	Chilcotin Trails	Visitin' Time	Bob Hope	Rogues Gallery	Fulton Lewis	Voice of Army	Bold Venture
9.30	Treasure Chest	Wayne King	Hollywood Theatre	Beulah	Hollywood Theatre	News	Official Detective	Monty's Music	Boston Blackie
9.45	Treasure Chest	P.C.H.L. Hockey	Hollywood Theatre	Peggy Lee Show	Hollywood Theatre	E. D. Canham	Official Detective	Bing Sings	Boston Blackie
10.00	Spinner Sanctum	P.C.H.L. Hockey	News	World Final	News	Hank Weaver	Love A Mystery	News	News
10.15	Spinner Sanctum	P.C.H.L. Hockey	Trans-Cont. Travel	Weather; Swap	News, Weather	Dance Time	Frank Edwards	Music	Dream Weaver
10.30	Spinner Sanctum	Newscast	Nocturne	Swap 'n' Shop	Sing Along	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Symphony	Close of Day
10.45	Sanctum and Sports	Symphony	Nocturne	You and World	Olympia Reports	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Symphony	Chapel of Chimes
11.00	News and Sanctum	Symphony	U.N. Today	Starlite Serenade	News	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Symphony	News; Doghouse
11.15	Spinner Sanctum	Symphony	Judy Canova	Starlite Serenade	Harmonaires	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Symphony	Bill Ward's Doghouse
11.30	Spinner Sanctum	Around M'nite	Judy Canova	Starlite Serenade	Ciro's Tonight	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Who Beat Who?	Bill Ward's Doghouse
11.45	Spinner Sanctum	Around M'nite	Nightcap	News Final	News	Dance Time	Chuckwagon Jamb.	Vic Water's Show	Bill Ward's Doghouse

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS

	CKDA	CJVI	CBU	KIRO	KOMO	KJR	KVI	CJOR	CKWX
8.00	News; Sports	Newscast	News; Bill Good	Morning Swap	News	Breakfast Club	Cecil Brown	News	News; Markets
8.15	Dave Hill Show	Music of the Waltz	Breakfast Club	News	Breakfast Fracas	Breakfast Club	News	Time 'n' Tunes	Bob's Inn
8.30	Dave Hill Show	Music of the Waltz	Breakfast Club	Grand Slam	Breakfast Fracas	Breakfast Club	Bible Institute	Billy Browne	News; Bob's Inn
8.45	Roving Reporter	Music of the Waltz	Laura Limited	Rosemary	Melody Room	Breakfast Club	Bible Institute	Billy Browne	Bob's Inn
9.00	News; Lombardo	Newscast	News: Comment	Wendy Warren	News	News	Breakfast Gang	Billy Browne	News, Casino
9.15	Guy Lombardo	Dr. Paul	Aunt Lucy	Aunt Jenny	Katherine Wise	Ann Sterling	Capital Comment	Billy Browne	Casino
9.30	Housewife Holiday	Kate Aitken	Morning Concert	Helen Trent	Margaret Melby	Break Bank	Music	Kate Aitken	Martha Reed
9.45	Housewife Holiday	Bod's Scrapbook	Morning Concert	Our Gal Sunday	Ruth and Dick	Break Bank	Ladies' Journal	Bod's Scrapbook	Memory Lane
10.00	News; Lady	Six For One	Morning Visit	Big Sister	Ruth and Dick	Jack Berch	Glenn Hardy	Y'never Know	News
10.15	Lucky Lady	Six For One	Happy Gang	Ma Perkins	Bob and Ray	Lone Journey	Tell-o-test	Y'never Know	Bob White Show
10.30	Lucky Lady	Newscast	Happy Gang	Dr. Malone	Strike It Rich	My True Story	Answer Man	Town Crier	Money Man
10.45	Lucky Lady	Your Shopper	Musical Kitchen	Guiding Light	Strike It Rich	My True Story	Music	News	Devitt Drops In
11.00	News; Between Gals	News; Hints	Air Kindergarten	Mrs. Burton	Double or Nothing	Betty Crocker	Ladies Fair	Man in House	News; Hints
11.15	Devitt Drops In	Wildwood Church	Man and His Music	Perry Mason	Double or Nothing	Vic Lindlahr	Ladies Fair	Man in House	Geo. Murray
11.30	Lucky Listening	Birthday Party	Man and His Music	Nora Drake	Like a Millionaire	Against Storm	Queen For Day	Passin' Buck	Pery Mason
11.45	Claire Wallace	Piccadilly Parade	Man and His Music	Brighter Day	Like a Millionaire	Chet Huntley	Queen For Day	Passin' Buck	Building Light
12.00	News; Parade	News; Parade	Man and His Music	News	Life Can Be Beautiful	News	News	News; Melodies	News
12.15	Hit Parade	Piccadilly Parade	News and Showcase	Cecil Solly	News	Sheelah Carter	Cedric Foster	Kiddies Karnival	Ken Hughes Show
12.30	Hit Parade	News	Farm Broadcast	Consum. Corr.	Pepper Young	Bill Mosher	Harmony Hoedown	Kiddies Karnival	News; Ken Hughes
12.45	Hit Parade	Reminder Time	Farm Broadcast	Maury's Turntable	Right to Happiness	Ted Malone	Harmony Hoedown	World Today	Ken Hughes Show
1.00	News; Find Place	Memory Time	Afternoon Concert	Hilltop House	Backstage Wife	Ann Sterling	Jack Kirkwood Show	Claire Wallace	News
1.15	Ed Farey Show	Club Diary	Afternoon Concert	To Be Announced	Stella Dallas	Ann Sterling	Jack Kirkwood Show	Matinee Melody	Ma Perkins
1.30	Ed Farey Show	Six-for-One	Afternoon Concert	Housewives Protec.	Widder Brown	Easy Listening	Take a Number	Double, Nothing	Big Sister
1.45	Ed Farey Show	Six-for-One	You and Your Vote	Housewives Protec.	Woman In House	Easy Listening	Take a Number	Double, Nothing	Dr. Malone
2.00	News; Lost, Found	News; Wom. Page	School Broadcast	Housewives' Inc.	Just Plain Bill	Easy Listening	News	Take It Easy	Red White and Blue
2.15	Ed Farey Show	Walter's Waxworks	School Broadcast	Housewives' Inc.	Front Page Farrell	Easy Listening	United Nations	Take It Easy	Red White and Blue
2.30	Ed Farey Show	Walter's Waxworks	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	Lorenzo Jones	Joyce Jordan	Behind Story	Take It Easy	Helen Trent
2.45	Ed Farey Show	Walter's Waxworks	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	Doctor's Wife	Evelyn Winters	Matinee Musical	Take It Easy	Our Gal Sunday
3.00	News; Swap, Shop	Walter's Waxworks	Brave Voyage	Arthur Godfrey	Welcome Traveler	When Gal Marries	Dixie Matinee	Take It Easy	Dr. Paul
3.15	Swap 'n' Shop	Teatime With Stars	Mus. Program	Arthur Godfrey	Welcome Traveler	Marriage For Two	Dixie Matinee	Take It Easy	Will Reeder
3.30	Bing Crosby	Walter's Waxworks	Solo Guest	Arthur Godfrey	Dr. Paul	Mary M. McBride	Upper Room	Widder Brown	Tea Time
3.45	Bing Crosby	Walter's Waxworks	Novel Time	Arthur Godfrey	Dave Garroway	Mary M. McBride	Music	Second Spring	Raceaway
4.00	News; Jo-Jo	Walter's Waxworks	Curling Cham'ship.	Curt Massey	Mary Foster	Lucky "U" Ranch	Fulton Lewis	Mostly Music	News
4.15	Jo Jo	Walter's Waxworks	Piano Pops	Jack Owens Show	Road of Life	Lucky "U" Ranch	Frank Hemingway	Mostly Music	Rhythm Pals
4.30	Kiddie Kapers	Club 15	Maggie Muggins	Clifford and Clark	Favorite Records	Tom McCann	Curt Massey	Club 15	Startime
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WANTED—USED FURNITURE. HOLLAND Bros. & Company. E mpire 0913.

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31 PETS AND LIVESTOCK

AQUARIUM WITH FISH AND PLANTS. One large, $10; one $7.50. E 7952.

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Order yours today from
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New Hampshires, White Leghorns, B. Austrlorps, Light Sussex and cross-bred chicks.
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34 HOTELS

THE GLENSHEIL, 606 DOUGLAS — A residential hotel providing every comfort for elderly people. E 4164.

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6.30	Beany Time	10.37	Jas. Melton
6.45	World Today	11.08	M. Kane
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Elevator Service—Permanent or Transient.
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34a WINTER RESORTS

MAPLE INN, MAPLE BAY, DUNCAN, V.I. Open all winter, reduced rates.

35 ROOM AND BOARD

SINGLE ROOMS FOR YOUNG BUSINESS men. Excellent home-cooked meals in pleasant surroundings. 1544 Bank Street. G 5024.

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37 ROOMS TO RENT FURNISHED

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IN NEW HOME, TWO BEAUTIFULLY furnished light housekeeping rooms. Comfortable kitchen and bedroom. All found. Bus passes. Suit two men. Business couple, normal students. Reasonable. 1704 Myrtle Avenue. E 6175.

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40 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT, FURNISHED

THREE-ROOM SUITE, FULLY FURNished, hot-water heating. No children. Box 1230 Victoria Press.

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40a FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT, UNFURNISHED

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TWO OR THREE-ROOM SUITE IN NICE home for three young men, non-smoking, non-drinking. Jubilee District or Central or Topaz Park District. G 2174.

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42 HOUSES TO RENT, FURNISHED

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42b HOUSES TO RENT, FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED

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MIDDLE-AGED RESPONSIBLE COUPLE, non-drinkers, require five or six-room house by April 1. E 8011.

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BUSINESS COUPLE WILL RENT MODERN two-bedroom house with garage and oil heating. References. Box 1238, Victoria Press.

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42b HOUSES TO RENT, FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED

REQUIRED BY NAVAL OFFICER AND family, two-bedroom house or duplex, vicinity Naden, by April 1. G 1501.

44 HALLS, STORES AND OFFICES TO RENT

ESQUIMALT COMMUNITY CLUB HALL All facilities. Phone Garden 5794.

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SIROCCO BALLROOM
SPACE AVAILABLE, SUITABLE FOR merchandise display, club meetings, sales, conventions, banquets, wedding parties, concerts, dances. Reasonable rates. Empire 8221.

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47 CARS FOR SALE

1949 PONTIAC SILVER STREAK FOUR-door sedan. Custom radio and heater, seat covers, in A-1 condition throughout. 1952 license. Saunders & Hitchman, 2554 Cadboro Bay Road. B 4594.

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1949 AUSTIN A40 SEDAN. EXCELLENT condition. New license, sunshine roof. Only $995. Must be sold this week. E 7974. 2487 Florence Street.

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1950 Austin A40 sedan, excellent condition, heater, radio. Less than 12,000 miles. G 8396.

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1949	PREFECT SEDAN. Heater	$795
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1947	MERCURY TUDOR. Heater	$1095
1950	MORRIS TUDOR	$1195
1941	MERCURY SEDAN. Heater	$895
1940	NASH SEDAN. Radio, heater	$875
1939	MERCURY SEDAN	$645
1937	STUDEBAKER SEDAN	$545
1935	FORD SEDAN	$295
1938	FORD SEDAN	$525
1948	AUSTIN SEDAN	$1095
1950	MERCURY SEDAN. Radio, heater, overdrive, visor	$2795
1950	METEOR TUDOR. Heater	$2095
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TRUCKS

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1947	FORD PANEL HALF-TON	$995
1948	MORRIS QUARTER-TON PANEL	$450
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819 YATES ST. G 8177 831 VIEW ST.

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1949	CHEVROLET CLUB COUPE. New seat covers just added to make this the buy you have always wanted	$1847

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1947	CHEVROLET SEDAN. This is a quality plus car in every way. But do be early at	$1397
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1949	ANGLIA COACH. You can get real pleasure out of owning this car. Our price	$745
1946	STUDEBAKER SEDAN. You will appreciate the good condition of this car. Priced to sell	$1245
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VAUXHALL "6" SEDAN. Really lovely condition	$1495
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BETTER CARS FOR LESS

47 CARS FOR SALE

WILSON MOTORS LTD.
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E 1107 E 1107

O.K. USED CARS

'51 OLDSMOBILE SEDAN "98," radio and heater $3995
'50 OLDSMOBILE SEDAN "88," radio and heater $2995
'51 CHEVROLET SEDAN POWER GLIDE, heater $2595
'51 CHEVROLET SEDAN—Radio and heater $2395
'51 STUDEBAKER COUPE—Heater $2295
'50 CHEVROLET SEDAN—Radio and heater $2145
'47 BUICK SEDAN—Radio and heater $2095
'50 FORD TWO-DOOR CUSTOM $1995
'49 METEOR SEDAN—Heater $1795
'47 MERCURY SEDAN—Heater $1345
'49 AUSTIN SEDAN—Heater $1195

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'47 CHEVROLET COUPE $995
'39 BUICK SEDAN $795
'41 FORD SEDAN $795
'39 PLYMOUTH SEDAN $745
'41 STUDEBAKER SEDAN $695
'40 PLYMOUTH SEDAN $695
'37 OLDS SEDAN $695
'40 CHRYSLER COUPE $695
'39 FORD TWO-DOOR $645
'40 MERCURY SEDAN $595
'36 CHEVROLET TWO-DOOR $395
'38 HILLMAN SEDAN $295
'35 BUICK SEDAN $295
'36 DODGE SEDAN $245
'30 FORD TWO-DOOR $145

USED TRUCKS

'50 MERCURY ½-TON PANEL $1495
'48 CHEVROLET SEDAN DELIVERY $1445
'48 CHEVROLET ONE-TON PICK-UP $1295
'49 FORD ½-TON PICK-UP $1195
'46 FORD TWO-TON CHASSIS AND CAB $995
'40 FARGO ½-TON PANEL $745
'46 CHEVROLET 1½-TON VAN $595
'40 CHEVROLET ½-TON PANEL $495

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'51 Meteor Custom Sedan. Radio, heater, new tires. Save $$$
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'50 Meteor Tudor $2,150
'50 Ford Sedan $2,150
'50 Austin Sedan $1,295
'50 Prefect Sedan $995
'49 Monarch Sedan $1,950
'47 Mercury Sedan $1,395
'46 Ford Sedan $1,295
'41 Buick $1,095
'41 Oldsmobile Tudor $850
'41 Mercury Sedan $795
'39 Buick Sedan $895
'39 Ford Sedan $695
'38 Buick Sedan $650
'37 Ford Tudor $395
'37 Dodge Sedan $595
'37 Oldsmobile Sedan $595
'38 Ford Coupe $395
'35 Plymouth Coupe $350
'29 Chrysler Sedan $125

Light Trucks

'37 ½-Ton Ford $195
'48 ½-Ton Mercury Panel, side windows, good $1,295
'48 ½-Ton Mercury Express, one owner $1,195
'48 ½-Ton Mercury Express, heater, $1,125
'48 ½-Ton Mercury three-ton transmission, three-ton clutch $1,150
'50 ½-Ton Mercury Express $1,450

Large Trucks

'37 Two-Ton Chevrolet, new motor, top shape $750
'41 2½-Ton Chevrolet, hoist, good condition, new paint $895
'47 Three-Ton Mercury, three-speed axle, long deck, wide front axle, one owner $1,295
'48 One-Ton Mercury Express, four-speed transmission, 7.50x17 tires, new recaps $1,195
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1949 Dodge Club Coupe, Radio and heater $1995
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1950 Studebaker Sedan, radio and heater $2095
1950 Meteor Custom Sedan $2095
1949 Mercury Town Sedan, Radio and heater $1895
1950 Pontiac Sedan, Radio and heater $2250
1948 De Soto Sedan, Radio and heater $2195

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USED TRUCKS
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1937 Chrysler Sedan, reconditioned motor, heater, seal beam lights, body excellent $645
1936 Ford Coupe, heater, new paint job, good tires. Priced to sell $295
1935 Pontiac Sedan $395
1950 Prefect Sedan, good condition $995

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'50 Pontiac Sedan, immaculate $2,395
'50 Meteor Custom Sedan $1,995
'49 "Step Down" Hudson Sedan $1,995
'47 Oldsmobile "6" Sedan $1,495
'47 Hudson Sedan, heater $895
'42 Pontiac Sedan $895
'40 Dodge Tudor, radio and heater $695
'38 Morris Roadster $195
'37 Studebaker Sedan $395
'36 Ford Sedan. Custom radio $395
'36 Pontiac Sedan, new paint $395
'36 Ford Coupe, good rubber $350
'35 Ford Coach, good at $350
'34 Ford Coupe $295
'33 Ford Roadster, only $195
'32 Chev. Sedan $250
'29 Chrysler Pick-up $50
'27 Hudson Seven-Passenger Sedan $75
'51 Norton Twin, only seven-months, Buddy seat—new condition.
Two Model "A's," coupe, sedan, each $75

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1950 AUSTIN SEDAN $1295
1951 FORD PREFECT SEDAN. Like new $1095
1948 MERCURY SEDAN Heater. $1195
1947 HILLMAN SEDAN $595
1941 HUDSON FIVE-PASSENGER COUPE $695

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1950 METEOR CUSTOM SEDAN
With overdrive, visor, air-conditioning unit
$1800
Will accept older model car as part payment. Can finance.
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Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up until noon on Thursday, March 13th, 1952, for certain furnishings for the new Health and Welfare Building, 1947 Cook Street. A list of the requirements may be obtained from the Purchasing Department, City Hall.

Tenders to be accompanied by a certified deposit cheque for 5% of the amount of tender made payable to the City Treasurer and enclosed in a sealed envelope marked "Tender for Furnishings, Health and Welfare Building."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

G. F. SHARPE,
City Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
March 3, 1952.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 161

IN THE MATTER of Lot 26 of Section 4, VICTORIA CITY, Plan 1306.

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 43722-I to the above mentioned land in the names of Charles William Jordan and Hilda Maria Jordan as Joint Tenants, and bearing date the 9th day of June, 1921,

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said Hilda Maria Jordan a Provisional Certificate of Indefeasible Title in the name of the said Charles William Jordan and Hilda Maria Jordan as Joint Tenants in lieu of such lost Certificate.

ANY PERSON having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED this 21st day of February, 1952, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

A. HOWARD,
Deputy Registrar,
Victoria Land Registration District.

HOME GARDEN

by Jack Beastall

Night frosts, followed by mild, sunny days will often do more damage in the garden than a steady cold spell.

At this time of year there is considerable moisture in the soil, excepting where a gravelly subsoil provides good drainage. As this moisture forms into ice it expands, lifting the smaller plants. The melting of the ice under the sun's rays and higher daytime temperatures, permits the soil to fall back into place leaving the plants with their roots partially or completely exposed to the devastating effects of frost, drying winds and sun.

Jack

Saving these plants, which we say have "heaved," entails a daily tour of the garden, and where practically each must be gently, but firmly, set back into the soil. Under some conditions, especially on the heavier soils, this would mean playing at mud-pies, and no gardener can do successful job of resetting a plant when both fingers and tools are caked with wet, sticky earth. This is where a reserved supply of screened compost comes in handy, for it can be placed around plants which are partly out of the ground, or used deep enough for planting those which have been entirely uprooted.

The smaller objects in the rock garden are particularly susceptible to heaving, and as these are often the more expensive inmates, it pays the gardener to check thorough and often. In fact, a dressing of fine compost mixed with sand can be beneficial at this season.

While checking the plants, it is also a good time to trim back those which bloomed late in the fall or were left because of the pressure of other work.

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Notice is hereby given that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned Executors, c/o 308 Bank of Toronto Building, Victoria, B.C., before the 7th day of April, 1952, after which date the executors will distribute the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice.

JESSIE L. CROSSLEY and
MRS. RUBY NICKELSON,
Straith, Ruttan & Davidson,
Solicitors.

Civil Defense Workers Needed

Residents in the Colwood-Langford area are needed to help staff a first aid station there should a defense emergency arise.

Defense co-ordinator Leonard Hatcher said today plans have been finalized to have medical personnel from Duncan come down to staff the hospital but what is now needed are cooks, kitchen helpers, porters, clerks and other workers.

He added that the hospital would likely be set up in the former quarters of the Colwood golf course.

"We want the names of volunteers first—they won't be needed for active duty until an emergency," he said.

Area residents can volunteer by phoning civil defense headquarters at B 7533.

Color Travel Film
Free Trip to England

The first of a series of Coloured Travel Films will be shown by George E. Willis at the new C. & C. Hall, corner of Government and Courtney Street, over the T.C.A.'s new office at 8 p.m., Friday, March 7.

The program will be the most memorable and interesting color films, showing the Royal film of the late King George and his late brother, Duke of Kent and Queen Elizabeth. The 1951-52 Pasadena Festival Parade, Travel Film of Canada and the United States and a most interesting color comedy. A free trip to England with the Coronation Tour is offered to the person that can give the nearest total mileage from Victoria to the ports mentioned at each show. Second prize is a trip to the Portland Rose Festival.

There is no charge to see these beautiful color films. Tickets may be obtained at Western Canada Travel Service, 602 Courtney Street, opposite the Post Office.

Sailor Now Safe From Revenge Of Angry Shipmates

Seaman Harold Hauze, of the Norwegian freighter Aquila, who was taken into protective custody by city police Sunday, was returned to his ship two hours before she sailed Monday evening.

Hauze had been beaten by shipmates who accused him of stealing, and police took him ashore at the request of Aquila's master, Capt. S. Flack. Capt. Flack felt he could control the crew once he was at sea, so asked for the return of the seaman.

Fratricide Trial Discloses Accused Had Memory Lapses

NANAIMO, March 4.—The story of the shooting of Percy Jackson during a September drinking bout at Quatsino Sound was told Monday in Assize Court.

His brother, Gordon Jackson, is charged with the crime.

Accused, according to his brother-in-law, Jack Howich, was looked upon as "not being right," having lost his memory and acted strangely on previous occasions.

The shooting took place Sept. 1 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl I. Anderson, Atwater logging camp, Quatsino Sound, after a drinking party.

PROPOSALS—In Paris informed sources said today that the U.S. has made proposals to Czechoslovakia for the release of imprisoned American correspondent William N. Oatis.

No details of the recent American approach were disclosed, but the fact that the Communists consented to receive the proposals at all was considered cause for "slight encouragement." Actual negotiations have not begun, however.

The move came to light as American diplomats from Communist eastern Europe met to begin three days of discussion of east-west problems.

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A Victoria miss will again have a chance to become Miss P.N.E.

Stan Britt, chairman of the B.C. Products, Agriculture and Industrial Fair, has assured Pacific National Exhibition officials that the winner of the fair's beauty contest here next May will represent Victoria at the P.N.E.

For the winning contestant at the mainland exhibition, there will be a $1,000 cash award and other prizes.

Victoria's Inez McLeod was crowned Miss P.N.E. last year.

In Vancouver last week, A. C. Foreman, secretary of the B.C. products bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade, lauded the efforts of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce in promoting the use and sale of B.C. manufactured goods through their annual fair here.

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More Farmers Urged To Run For B.C. House

DUNCAN, March 4—There should be more farmer candidates to the B.C. Legislature, according to Col. C. E. S. Walls, secretary-manager of the B.C. Federation of Agriculture.

Speaking at the 84th annual meeting of the Cowichan Agricultural Society, he urged farmers to attend political meetings in their own districts, and to learn candidates' opinions regarding school taxation, decrease in appropriation for agriculture, daylight saving and legalized sale of margarine.

He complimented the speed and efficiency with which B.C. borders had been closed for control of foot and mouth disease.

Resolutions were passed to delete the present clause barring Asiatics from membership in the society, to investigate the production of lime in the area, and to distribute a petition for establishment of a disease-free area throughout Vancouver Island.

Directors elected for three-year terms were J. A. F. Mutter, L. W. Morrell, D. C. Morton, Stanley Owens and John Hulbert. Those with one or more years yet to serve are Miss N. B. Walden, H. Standen, B. C. Walker, E. W. Johnson, J. T. Sharp, A. Stevenson, E. C. Powell, R. Batstone, D. G. Huntley and J. A. Shaneman.

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CANADIAN LEGISLATURES

Would Deduct Federal Taxes

By CANADIAN PRESS

A Liberal member of the Nova Scotia Legislature wants provincial and municipal taxes to be detuctible from federal taxes.

William H. Pipe (Lib., Kinks) speaking in the Throne Speech debate Monday urged the Nova Scotia government to make "strong representations to Ottawa that such deductions be allowed."

"It would be a legitimate way of extending federal assistance to all municipalities, for it would give undoubted relief to individual taxpayers, while at the same time enabling the municipalities to raise their assessments or rates without corresponding increase of burden on our citizens," he said.

MANITOBA

Agriculture Minister F. C. Bell announced in the Manitoba Legislature that Manitoba has placed an embargo on all livestock from western Canada. The action followed the current outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease among cattle in Saskatchewan.

Bell said the embargo will include all shipments of cattle, sheep, swine and meat carcasses. It does not apply to cooked or canned meats. He said the embargo will stop all livestock shipments from Saskatchewan and would nullify "through billing" to eastern points.

ALBERTA

A debate on the export of natural gas from Alberta flared up after an opposition accusation that the Social Credit government favors export.

The debate followed an amendment to the motion replying to the Throne Speech. The amendment, proposed by Hugh John MacDonald (Lib., Calgary) said the government "erred in adopting a policy favoring export of natural gas." Generally government speakers favored export and opposition members were against it.

ONTARIO

Attorney-General Dana Porter told the Ontario Legislature that the Ontario securities commission is carrying on an active campaign against Toronto stock-pushers who use high-pressure mail and telephone methods to sell stocks in the United States.

Porter said that although the commission lacks legal jurisdiction it was "very concerned" with such sales.

SASKATCHEWAN

The Saskatchewan Legislature heard a suggestion that it should ask the federal government to extend Saskatchewan's northern border to the North Pole. D. H. R. Heming, C.C.F. member for Moose Jaw riding, said also that northern waters which now flow into the Arctic Ocean should be diverted south to flow into the North and South Saskatchewan rivers and thus aid irrigation.

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Civil Defense Details Given Legislature

Facts and figures relating to civil defense were given members of the Legislature Monday by Provincial Secretary W. T. Straith, under whose department defense work is administered.

Straith revealed all fire departments in the province were to standardize hose couplings so that equipment could be pooled and moved from place to place in the event of a serious emergency. The federal government will provide the new couplings and will pay one-third the cost of installation. The province will pay the other two-thirds.

PROVIDE SIRENS

Federal authorities will provide air raid sirens to all municipalities inside the five B.C. target areas, he said. Installation will be a municipal responsibility.

Persons injured while training in civil defense work will come under workmen's compensation, and the bill for their care will be borne 50-50 by provincial and federal governments.

Straith revealed Maj.-Gen. G. R. Stein, head man in B.C.'s civil defense set-up, was now completing an advanced course in civil defense work in England. On his return, he will hold new conferences with civil defense planners in Washington and Oregon.

Auction Stock Swells For Wheel Chair Fund

Books, dishes, card tables and a bicycle are among the items to be auctioned at the Elks' Home Wednesday at the B.P.O.E. "Klondike Night" for the Thomas Ward fund.

More contributions for the auction are needed.

The fund aims at an objective of $1,500 to provide a powered wheel chair for the handicapped news vendor, who sells papers daily at Yates and Douglas.

Philippine Army Lists Huk Losses

MANILA, March 4 (AP)—The Philippine army has announced that Communist Huk casualties in southern Luzon during February totaled 61 killed, 35 wounded and 27 captured.

Rocky's Command Sets Record

By BILL BOSS

WITH THE CANADIANS IN KOREA, March 4 (CP)—Several records were believed established by Brig. John M. Rockingham and his troops during his command of the 25th Canadian Infantry Brigade group.

Up to Jan. 19—The last date on which censorship permitted it to be identified in the line or in connection with operations — the brigade had a longer continuous period in the line than any other formation in Canadian military history.

From Sept. 4, when it was brought out of last summer's quasi-reserve role and committed across the Imjim in operation "Snatch," the brigade—to Jan. 19—had been in front-line position 138 days.

That is the better part of five months—night after night, day after day in dugouts and slit-trenches in varying proximity to the Communists. The record still stands in 1st Commonwealth Division.

For a parallel in Canadian military history, historians had to dig back to First Word War days.

The closest they could find was the three months the Canadian Corps spent southeast of Arras from March 31 to July 1 in 1918, waiting for a German offensive to materialize. They add the qualification that if it had developed the corps would have been withdrawn.

Rockingham is one of the few Canadians to command a Canadian force from its inception, through its training and through most of its fighting.

In training and operations he also is believed to hold some sort of record for length of command.

CHURCH MEETENG

LANGFORD, March 4 — St. Matthew's Church committee will meet Wednesday night at 8 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Station Road, Langford.

DON'T WAIT FOR EQUINOX

First Migrant Swallows Bring Spring's Promise

Some people may think spring comes with the vernal equinox on March 21. Not so. Spring's here already!

Take it from Dick Van der Meer, big, bushy-headed ornithologist, five years out from Holland. Dick's home is at Goldstream on the Victoria Fish and Game Protective Assn. property where he has an unofficial sanctuary.

Dick has entertained the first migratory swallows . . . three darting, green tree swallows . . . and that mean's spring, so far as he's concerned. They arrived at 9 Monday morning.

"I figure they're about two or three weeks earlier than usual," Dick told the Times.

Incidentally, he has been entertaining his bird and animal friends all winter: deer and coons, juncos, song sparrows, fox sparrows and golden crowns, willow and blue grouse and all sorts of ducks, probably 200 in all.

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RECORD BUDGET FOR B.C.

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LIVING-COST SHOWS DROP

$28 Million Up Over Last Year

Budget Includes Government's Agreement To Pay Full Deficit In Hospital Insurance

By GORDON FORBES, Times Legislative Reporter

B.C.'s government proposes to spend a record $185,755,433 in the coming fiscal year.

The total is $27,986,433 greater than for the year 1951-52.

The budget total was disclosed by Premier Johnson in the Legislature this afternoon.

It includes $135,405,433 in ordinary expenditures and $45,350,000 on various public works and capital projects, and $5,000,000 allocated on a special debt repayment.

The huge increase will be handled without changes in taxation rates, and the budget is balanced with a slight theoretical surplus.

The only major change in the government's financial policy is that it will now pay the full deficit in the hospital insurance fund, instead of limiting its contribution, as last year, and will pay the full cost of hospital care for all welfare cases instead of paying just insurance premiums for them.

This means an increase of approximately $3,600,000 in the government's contribution to the hospital insurance scheme.

Steadily expanding costs of government in all directions account for most of the general budget increases.

Here are the main public works allocations:

$2,000,000 for a new program of secondary road construction.

$3,000,000 for building the Vancouver-Squamish Highway.

$2,000,000 for the Northern Trans-provincial Highway.

$10,000,000 for the government's 50 per cent share of new school construction.

$13,200,000 for the general highway improvement program, including continuation of the Trans-Canada Highway rebuilding.

$9,850,000 for various buildings, including a new jail, sanitariums and other institutions not specified.

$2,500,000 for completion of the P.G.E. railway extension from Quesnel to Prince George, now nearly finished.

$900,000 to carry on a flood control scheme in the south Okanagan.

$750,000 toward a pathology building in Vancouver.

$300,000 for buildings at U.B.C.

$850,000 for forest development and mining roads.

Must Borrow $28,350,000

Part of the money to pay for this large capital works program, $28,350,000, will be borrowed by the government. The balance of $22,000,000 will be financed out of the general revenues, $15,500,000 from surpluses that have accumulated in the last few years and $6,500,000 out of huge revenues that are predicted for the coming year.

The Premier's address showed that the high level of economic activity in B.C. is still rolling revenues into the provincial treasury at a record rate.

He estimates an all-time high current income of nearly $142,000,000 for the coming year, partly due to higher payments under the Ottawa tax agreement, and the balance from a general increase in all tax receipts resulting from higher population and the inflated money rates.

The mammoth budget was the first presented by Premier Johnson in his new role of minister of finance.

Here briefly is the budget comparison for the last two years:

	1951-52	1952-53
Current revenue estimate	$118,502,889	$141,986,869
Expenditures		
Ordinary *	$118,269,000	$135,405,433
Capital—		
Out of revenue	----------	$ 6,500,000
From revenue surplus	$ 3,100,000	$ 15,500,000
From borrowings	$ 36,500,000	$ 28,350,000
Totals	$157,869,000	$185,755,233

*Premier Johnson noted that expenditures for 1951-52 have already far exceeded estimates and will probably total $127,000,000.

Deficit Was Predicted

In explaining the change in government on the hospital insurance plan, the premier said the deficit on the scheme in the coming fiscal year is estimated at $4,686,990.

Last year the government allocated $2,500,000 for the deficit—as high as it would go. The plan, fortunately, stayed within the deficit mainly due to co-insurance. In the coming year, the government has estimated to meet the full deficit and has placed no "ceiling" on the amount it will pay. Higher wages in hospitals and other increased costs will raise the deficit.

Another change in policy will see the government pay the entire cost of hospitalization for persons in receipt of welfare allowances. Previously, the government just paid hospital insurance premiums.

This new policy will cost the government $1,546,000, which together with the premium payments for those on welfare allowance, is expected to be enough to cover the entire cost of hospitalization of such cases.

The government also contributes $1,500,000 out of consolidated revenue to cover the cost of the provincial share of the per diem grants to hospitals. This amounts to 70 cents per patient per day. Municipalities pay the same amount.

Premium payments for welfare cases will cost $1,769,200, which will add up to a government contribution to B.C.H.S. of $9,502,590, but only $3,733,390 in new charges as a result of policy changes.

$38,205,000 For Highways

A total of $38,205,000 will be spent on highways during the coming year, the Premier's statement showed. In addition to the $20,200,000 in new projects maintenance will cost $14,080,000 and hard surfacing $4,125,000.

Original requests for money by the various departments of the government were "many million dollars more" than the amounts shown in the estimates. Requested appropriations were cut by the Treasury Board and the Cabinet, the Premier said.

During 1950-51 the government collected revenues, on current account, amounting to $124,029,568—$18,198,378 more than anticipated.

During the same period the government spent $116,079,471—$10,520,953 more than the main estimates anticipated.

This left a $7,978,790 surplus.

More Budget Stories Pages 2 and 9

Forming Battle Lines

Philadelphia firemen train their hoses on the blazing Clinton Hotel from a neighboring rooftop. The seven-alarm fire destroyed the hotel and damaged three adjoining apartment houses. It was the city's largest in three years. More than 150 persons were evacuated safely, but 66 firefighters were overcome by smoke with 16 of them hospitalized.

Provincial Ban Eased Slightly

B.C. Will Accept Alberta Chicks; Cabinet Considers Other Moves

Agriculture Minister Harry Bowman said today British Columbia's livestock embargo has been eased.

Baby chicks will be allowed to come into the province from Alberta and other easements are being considered.

Investigations are continuing to determine the advisability of such a move, the minister said after a Cabinet meeting.

The flow of baby chicks into B.C. from Alberta has been stopped ever since the embargo started last week. It is considered a fairly important industry to Alberta.

Bowman explained that the chicks will be allowed entry after inspection by veterinary officers. Edmonton and Calgary ship large quantities of chicks into northern and eastern B.C. It is felt there is no danger involved because the chicks are fumigated when hatched.

STUDY SMOKED MEATS

Bowman said his department is still investigating the advisability of allowing smoked meat imports. It was hoped recently that smoked meats could be allowed into the province, but since then it has been learned that such meats may carry the foot-and-mouth disease in the marrow of the bone.

The minister said he did not know how long existing B.C. meat supplies would last. He has had estimates ranging from 10 days to three weeks.

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Meanwhile the advisory board of the Farmers' Institute, in a three-day session here, went on record as supporting provincial agricultural department in its policy of banning all livestock and meat shipments.

The board passed a resolution endorsing the "prompt action taken by the agricultural department to safeguard this province's livestock against the ravages of the dread foot-and-mouth disease."

Dr. Wallace Gunn, livestock commissioner, explained to the board the disease may remain dormant throughout the winter "forming a further case for care in livestock movement."

He said B.C. cattlemen are not taking advantage of the situation to boost prices.

3 Gunmen Loot Toronto Bank Of $15,000

TORONTO, March 4 (CP)—Three gunmen held up a branch of the Bank of Montreal at noon today. Police said they escaped with between $10,000 and $15,000.

The bank is at the corner of College Street and Manning Avenue in mid-town Toronto.

Vancouver Stocks Closing Prices

Trading slowed to a walk at Vancouver stock exchange afternoon session today, but price lines stayed firm and finished slightly ahead over-all than Monday.

Britalta, in the oils, continued its upward climb all through the afternoon trading and closed with a record advance for one day of $1.05. Closing price was $6.

Calmont, Del Rio, Superior, Calnorth and Long Island were all unchanged. Most issues held earlier gains.

MONTREAL QUOTES U.S. DOLLAR AT DISCOUNT

MONTREAL, March 4 (CP).—For the first time since before the Second World War the United States dollar was quoted at a discount in Montreal foreign exchange dealings. The Bank of Canada reported the U.S. dollar at noon at a discount of 1/32 of 1 per cent, down 1/32 from Monday noon.

This means that one Canadian dollar is worth $1.00 1/32 in American funds. The two currencies had been trading previously at par.

Everybody's wonderin' who stopped th' City Hall clock at quarter past four. Was it Claude, or Waldo? Or did somebody drop th' tea tray?

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Price index is down a shade for January, but I don't feel any richer yet.

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Funny. All them millions Boss talks about just leave me blank. But 10 cents fer a chock-lit bar sets me ravin'.

FINAL BULLETINS

Yukon Faces Meatless Future

The far north Yukon Territory today faced a completely meatless future because of the foot-and-mouth embargoes.

Fred Fraser, commissioner of the Yukon, has asked Agriculture Minister Bowman to modify the British Columbia embargo on prairie meat because all of the Yukon's supply is shipped through B.C.

B.C. Merchants Protest Holiday

VANCOUVER, March 4 (CP)—The British Columbia branch of the Canadian Retail Merchants' Association has protested the observance of both April 21 and May 24 as public holiday.

Queen Elizabeth's birthday has been declared a statutory holiday by the Federal government.

Acheson Challenges Communists

WASHINGTON, March 4 (AP)—State Secretary Dean Acheson today challenged the Communists to submit to impartial investigations their charges that United Nations forces are waging germ warfare in Korea.

In his statement Acheson denounced the charges as "nonsense" and "entirely false."

Alberta Legislator Crosses Floor

EDMONTON, March 4 (CP)—H. B. Macdonald (Ind.—Calgary) today became the first legislator in Alberta's history to cross from the opposition side of the provincial legislature to the government benches.

Jewel Thieves Snatch $500,000

KARACHI, Pakistan, March 4 (AP)—Thieves in a daring daylight robbery today got $500,000 worth of gold and diamonds from a jewelry store. They entered from the roof before the shop opened.

BRAZIL RAIL CRASH KILLS OVER HUNDRED

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 4 (CP)—More than 100 persons were killed in a train collision near here today. About 200 suffered injuries. The wreck was the worst in Brazil's history.

A train crowded with commuters coming into Rio De Janeiro crashed into a stalled passenger train near the suburb of Anchieta, about 19 miles southwest of the capital.

Bodies were strewn about the wreckage and some were seen floating in the nearby Pavuna River.

"It looked like a battlefield," a survivor, a former soldier said.

Two cars on the passenger train were derailed at Anchieta. The commuter train which hit it was en route from another suburb and traveling at a high speed.

Police, fire brigades and troops were called out to help take the victims to hospital.

Rescue workers hacked their way through twisted coaches to bring out the injured. Fifteen were reported in serious condition.

The crash is believed to be the worst ever in Brazil, which has had several train disasters over the past year.

Last December 53 died in a derailment near Fortaleza, Para. In June 1951, 51 died in a packed train which became a raging inferno after hitting a gasoline truck at a level crossing.

Meanwhile, a radio reporter broadcasting from the scene said 75 dead had been counted, with the injured estimated at 200.

He said there were not enough ambulances to carry the dead away.

SELECTIONS

SANTA ANITA

1—Hug-Me-Tight, Like Crazy, Our Rose.
2—Holly-River, Chalon, Stevie Dear.
3—Bombay Duck, Front N Center, Hopping Mad.
4—King Count, Sonreido, Time's Scarce.
5—Friendly Dog, Quiz Row, Musn't Touch.
6—A Lark, Wentaway, Jerry M.
7—Gold Capitol, Pet Bully, Fife and Drum.
8—Hitherto, First English, His Last.
Best Bet—Hitherto.

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Equipass, Marse Robert, Happy Flyer.
2—Attend, Survey, Martalation.
3—Majon Jr., Gifted Boots, Martha Martin.
4—Little Flame, Indisposed, Burg Lady.
5—Intention, Nix, Grey Pepper.
6—Jacktown, Beautiful Jane, White Brand.
7—Saw Buster, Alphara, Rodger Joe.
8—Angle Bar, Two and Six, Good Cry.
9—Captain Joe, Rox S., Bodilee.
Best Bet—Angle Bar.

RESULTS

SANTA ANITA

First Race—
Robert W. (Leblanc) $11.10 $8.40 $5.10
Toro Robusto (Adams) 10.60 6.20
Shatter (Grohs) 3.80
Time, 0.33 4-5.
Second Race—
Grand Cham (Covalli) $13.80 $7.10 $3.90
Red Armor (Neves) 6.40 3.90
Reigh Glory (Glisson) 3.20
Time, 1.13.
Third Race—
Common Cause (Guerin) $5.10 $3.30 $2.60
Utmost (Shoemaker) 3.60 2.70
Royal Spear II (Adams) 3.60
Time, 1.25 1-5.

FAIR GROUNDS

First Race—
Treetop (Popara) $9.60 $4.80 $3.40
Bay Blaze (Armstrong) 9.40 6.40
Lady Pomp (Zehr) 8.60
Time, 1.13 4-5.
Second Race—
Bank Club (Zehr) $38.00 $13.40 $6.80
Mrs. Valenti (Doyle) 4.60 3.60
Joe's Star (Hardinbrook) 5.80
Time, 1.13 1-5.
Third Race—
Texas Till (Hardinbrok) $3.80 $2.60 $2.40
Captain Carver (Van Hook) 4.00 3.00
Oh Barbara (Ussery) 3.20
Time, 0.22 4-5.
Fourth Race—
Mackville (Bailey) $5.20 $4.00 $2.80
Bill's Hygro (Baldwin) 4.80 3.40
Academy Award (Taylor) 5.20
Time, 1.12 3-5.
Fifth Race—
King Diver (Popara) $3.60 $2.80 $2.20
Senator Guy (Roberts) 3.40 2.20
Half Cellar (Armstrong) 2.80
Time, 1.46 4-5.
Sixth Race—
March Proudly (Popara) $9.00 $4.20 $2.80
Sir Walter R. (Baird) 3.80 2.60
Tailtown (Zehr) 2.80
Time, 1.11 2-5.
Seventh Race—
Lilly Valenti (Ferraiuolo) $6.20 $3.00 $2.40
Thelma Berger (Hinbrook) 3.40 2.60
Ave (Roberts) 2.80
Time, 1.12 2-5.
Eighth Race—
Chariot Wheels (Arming) $10.80 $5.20 $4.40
Sliparound (Hardinbrook) 6.00 3.60
Grand Evening (Davern) 3.20
Time, 1.46.

Second Decline Over Three-Month Period

OTTAWA, March 4 (CP)—The cost-of-living index Feb. 1 declined seven-tenths of a point to 190.8 from the peak of 191.5—the second drop in three months—the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

The previous drop before that was on Jan. 2, 1950, when the index declined a half-point to 161.0 from 161.5. The index is based on 1935-39 prices equalling 100.

Lower prices for food, clothing and home furnishings pushed the index down on Feb. 1, the bureau said.

Lower prices for eggs, beef, pork and lard, overbalancing higher prices for butter, cheese and fresh fruits and vegetables, dropped the food sub-index by 1.9 points from its near-record 250.0 to 248. Prices for butter, cheese and fresh fruits and vegetables, dropped the food sub-index by 1.9 points from its near-record 250.0 to 248.1.

In the clothing sub-index, the bureau reported lower prices for men's woollen apparel and women's nylon hosiery, with the sub-index dropping 2.3 points to 213.0 from a near-record 215.3.

A drop in prices for furniture, wool blankets and soap outweighed increases for laundry and telephone services and pushed the home furnishings and services sub-index down by 1.0 point to 200.1 from a peak of 201.1.

FUEL, LIGHT UP

Two sub-groups showed price climbs. The fuel and light sub-index advanced one-tenth of a point to a record 151.3 from 151.2, reflecting higher prices for electricity and coke in some centres.

The miscellaneous column advanced to a peak of 146.5, up 0.8 points from 145.7, boosted by higher health costs and barber's fees.

Rents were not surveyed and the sub-index remained unchanged at the record 144.8.

Manitoba Livestock Ban Hits Winnipeg Packers

Packing Plant Employees Face Unemployment As Province Wars Against Foot-Mouth Plague

WINIPEG, March 4 (CP)—About one-third of the workers in Greater Winnipeg's three big packing plants will be laid off within the next few days as a result of Manitoba's embargo against livestock shipments from western Canada.

The embargo was announced Monday night by the Manitoba government in a move to protect Manitoba stock from possible foot-and-mouth infection and to forestall overloading of the Manitoba market.

Layoff notices were handed today to between 110 and 120 employees at Canada Packers and to about 100 at Swift Canadian. Officials of Burns and Company did not reveal the number to be laid off but said the notices were given today.

Meanwhile an embargo on shipment of livestock, sheep, swine and carcasses from western Canada to Manitoba has been ordered by the Manitoba government in a move to shield cattle from possible spread of foot-and-mouth disease and protect producers from an overloaded market. Cooked and canned meats are not affected.

The ban was announced in the Legislature by Agriculture Minister F. C. Bell. It followed cabinet consideration of the latest federal moves in the campaign to stamp out foot-and-mouth disease in Saskatchewan.

Bell said the Manitoba government had asked for a federal ban on Saskatchewan livestock last week, but Agriculture Minister Gardiner had replied it was unnecessary.

Bell said Quebec and British Columbia had imposed their own embargoes. The Livestock trade had closed Edmonton public markets to Saskatchewan livestock.

"This would throw more Saskatchewan cattle this way," Bell said. "It would add to the danger of our getting foot-and-mouth disease in this province.

He said he did not consider the 50-mile buffer zone around the Saskatchewan quarantine area ample protection. (The federal government ordered the buffer zone. Animals from that area will be slaughtered at the nearest available packing plant. They cannot be sent out of the area for feeding.)

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FAIR GROUNDS

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Bill Twig 115 — Equipass 110
Happy Flyer 101 — Templemovie 115
Plowman 113 — Sidestep 110
Fighting Louie 118 — Marse Robert 110
All Is On 110 — Trance Sleeper 112
Rab's Son 121

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Survey 105 — Star Pigeon 113
Martalation 105 — Attend 112
Chinese Yen 103 — Queen Chica 108
Mon Baiser 107 — Raffle House 115
Jofourth 108 — Tinsina 110
Pilot Man 115 — Stvell 105

THIRD RACE—Two furlongs:
Slithereen 116 — A-Top Stockings 111
Seco Princess 116 — Pair o' Tea 116
Mrs. P. A. 116 — Mickey Poster 116
Aileen's Pride 116 — Star Quix 116
Sherry Blitzen 111 — Bondor 116
Miss Taggs 116 — Angel Foot 116
Gifted Boots 116 — Our Robbie 116
Martha Martin 11 — A-Majon Jr. 111
Miss Star 116 — A-Entry
Spotitrig 116

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Nan's Pride 106 — Lochlaven 104
Burg Lady 101 — Banchory 106
Indisposed 109 — Lils Gadget 104
Fell Swoop 106 — Final Folly 106
Trade With 104 — Little Flame 111
Serf Gal 101

FIFTH RACE—Two furlongs:
Nix 118 — Chip's Floppy 111
Real Charge 118 — Dela Bby 110
Grey Pepper 118 — Erin Go Bragh 118
Oratory 118 — Jim's Town 113
Wildcat Sam 118 — Thing of Seven 113
Intention 113 — Nicely Nicely 118
Mello Jack 118 — Tripline 118
Red Carlock 118 — Louis K. 118
Ike Morales 118 — Bessemer 113

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Beautiful Jane 112 — Elaine M. 109
Jacktown 111 — Twintone 112
White Brand 111 — Bold Sab 106

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Tiger Matt 107 — Lutz Girl 110
Rodger Joe 108 — Alphara 115
Saw Buster 116

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles:
Comealive 105 — Canis Major 113
Angle Bar 118 — Tangent 113
Good Cry 111 — Sure Gift 115
Two and Six 106 — Lilbon 108

NINTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles:
Carita Volante 105 — Ray O'Sullivan 115
Captain Joe 112 — Buster Maedic 107
Bodilee 106 — Sleek Hand 108
Mik 110 — Sleepy Port 113
Rox S. 105 — Croesus 107
Macapt 108 — Endear 107
Oak River 105 — Shoppin Shoes 106
Count Discover 115 — Army Cadet 112
May First 107 — Beth's Bomb 112

SANTA ANITA

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs:
Goleta 115 — Jade B's Babe 118
Scott's Bag 115 — La Mickal 115
Our Rose 115 — Like Crazy 115
Grey Crystal 115 — Flybush 115
Lady Tip 115 — Tillery Toy 115
Ingowa 115 — Daily Record 115
Hug Me Tight 115 — Trajectile 115
Barberob 115 — Lisa Leola 115
Cody Miss 115 — Play In 115

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Rehsab 112 — A-Pepper Corn 107
Stevie Dear 112 — Third Speed 111
Repent 103 — Blue Trumpeter 113
Chalon 107 — A-Verona 107
White Way 116 — A-Entry
Holly River 120

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Bakers Acres 109 — Bombay Duck 120
Hopping Mad 106 — Steel 120
Front 'n' Centre 117 — Hemet Warrior 114
I'm O.K. 114

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs:
Solano 115 — Chiflado 118
Time's Scarce 114 — Sleepy Hollow 113
Makai 115 — Baneberry 108
Sonreido 121 — King Count 121

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Leeben 112 — Tassel 104
Woodside View 114 — Friendly Dog 118
Stirrup Cup 114 — Quiz Row 120
Kathanova 110 — Let's Vote 114
A-Musn't Touch 110 — Lovely Site 107
Pine Street 112 — A-Bullrelis 123
Workans 114 — A-Entry.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Wire Flash 113 — Brother Butch 116
Unbridled 112 — B-Sugar Sample 113
Patch 110 — Jerry M. 115
A-Wentaway 110 — B-Sun Rene 118
A-A Lark 112 — A-Entry.
Turner-On 112 — B-Entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile:
Pet Bully 121 — Aegean 110
Gold Capitol 116 — Akimbo 106
Ted M. 110 — Fife and Drum 110
First Repeater 109

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles:
Glory Tide 112 — Hitherto 115
Deep Secret 103 — Outotheblue 116
English Lark 114 — Amble In 112
A-His Last 110 — A-First English 118
Shedon't Smoke 103 — A-Entry.
The Gike 112